WEATHER FORECASTS
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DISORDERS IN RUSSIA ARE DENIED

Soviet Spokesmen Say No Attempt Made to Assassinate Joseph Stalin

CONTRADICT REPORTS OF SOLDIERS' MUTINY

Rumors of Disturbances in Country Persist in European Capitals

LONDON, Nov. 22.—Rumors and reports, none of them confirmed, of serious unrest and disturbances in Soviet Russia persisted in the capitals of Europe today, despite repeated denials by Russian spokesmen.

The most important of the reports was contained in a Reuter's dispatch from Riga, Latvia, hotbed of Eastern Europe rumor, that Joseph Stalin, secretary-general of the Russian Communist party and, in effect, head of the Soviet Government, was murdered in Moscow yesterday.

"UNFOUNDED INVENTIONS"

Tass, the Soviet official news agency, answered the report with cablegrams to its world affiliations, declaring that all rumors of M. Stalin's assassination were "malignant and absolutely unfounded inventions." The same cablegrams denied other reports of mutiny of Red soldiers and wholesale arrests of prominent leaders, and stated that the reports were designed by anti-Soviet leaders to divert public attention from the forthcoming trial of "Ramzin and other wreckers."

This reference was to the eight prominent Russians who, less than a fortnight ago, were indicted for counter-revolutionary activity. The Government-inspired press printed their alleged confessions that they had plotted with Raymond Poincare and Aristide Briand, of France; "Lord Churchill," Lawrence of Arabia and other prominent persons to bring about intervention in Russia. The Soviet charges were considered by those concerned generally as too fantastic for denial.

DISPATCH FROM BERLIN

The Daily Express, in a dispatch from Berlin today, printed additional reports of disorders which were said to have evaded the censorship. News dispatches were said by the correspondent to have confirmed the previously reported mutiny of two battalions of Soviet troops near Moscow. Two other mutinies were reported, one at Leningrad and the other at Kronstadt, where officers and crew of the gunboat Vorkov were alleged to have been put in irons.

A man named "Peters," and labeled the "notorious executioner of the Ogpu" (secret police), was said to have been given authority to take two batteries of artillery to Moscow and cleanse the Red Army of its disaffected elements. M. Kork, commander of the Moscow military district, and M. Tuchachevski, of the Leningrad area, were ordered to relinquish their posts pending an inquiry into unrest in their commands.

CHANGE IN FISH REGULATIONS IS ASKED FOR B.C.

Claimed Variation of Weekly Closed Season Would Benefit Fishermen

HON. E. N. RHODES IS PARTY TO DISCUSSION

Variation of weekly closed fishing regulations to insure fishermen obtaining a full five-day week, in place of shorter periods of operation which curtailed their living, is one of the points that British Columbia is taking up with the Federal authorities, during the present visit of Hon. E. N. Rhodes, Federal Minister of Fisheries, it was stated yesterday by Hon. S. L. Howe, provincial secretary.

As commissioner of fisheries for the province, Mr. Howe, with John P. Babcock, chairman of the halibut commission, met Mr. Rhodes on his arrival here this week, and discussed a number of matters in connection with the industry in British Columbia.

It was to be commented, said Mr. Howe, that an industry which produced 48 per cent of the total fish catch of Canada, employed 20,000 workers annually; necessitated the purchase of $15,000,000 in supplies, in addition to a capital investment of $35,000,000, and with $28,000,000 as the value of its products annually, should be yielding only a poor return to those engaged in it as their sole means of livelihood.

The Province, he said, exercised control only over the licensing of plants, following the Privy Council decision of a year ago. The taking of the fish, regulation of seasons, and all matters pertaining to the fishermen were under the control of the Federal authorities.

CO-OPERATION GIVEN

Amicable discussions had taken place on all phases of the matter, in the conference with Mr. Rhodes, continued Mr. Howe, and the province had been assured of the active

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Makes Brief Call at Capital

HON. T. G. MURPHY

Minister of the Interior, at present on an official visit to the Coast, conferred with Provincial Cabinet members yesterday in the course of a few hours' visit here.

TO PRESERVE NATURAL LIFE OF DOMINION

Hon. T. G. Murphy, Minister of Interior, Pays Brief Visit to City

INTEREST IS AROUSED IN SEA-LEVEL AREAS

National park policy in Canada envisions preservation of the flora and fauna of its typical areas in their natural state for all time, it was stated by Hon. Thomas G. Murphy, Federal Minister of the Interior and Commissioner of Indian Affairs, on arrival here yesterday. Every attention, he said, was being paid to the suggestion advanced by Premier Tolmie as to the creation of sea-level parks in British Columbia, and detailed reports on the subject were now in course of preparation.

Shortly after arrival, Mr. Murphy met Hon. N. S. Lougheed, Minister of Lands in the Provincial Cabinet, in an informal discussion of the details of agreements made between the two Governments as to the control of lands ceded to the province by Ottawa, including ultimate reversionary rights to Indian reserves. Satisfactory progress was made at the discussion, he stated, and minor details of the arrangement would be settled without difficulty.

The Minister of the Interior arrived by night boat from Vancouver and returned to the Mainland late last evening after a brief call. He was accompanied by Dr. D. C. Scott, deputy superintendent of Indian affairs, and George Buskard, his secretary.

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Thousands of Acres Of North Wales Land Are Flooded by Gale

PWLLHELI, Carnarvon, Wales, Nov. 22.—Thousands of acres have been flooded and many roads made impassable in North Wales in the latest of a series of gales which have lashed Great Britain.

A terrific gale, accompanied by thunder and lightning, swept over South Carnarvonshire, one thunderbolt shaking the houses in the vicinity to their foundations and terrifying the residents, who feared their homes were collapsing.

DOMINION SUPPORTS HOLLAND'S PROPOSAL

GENEVA, Nov. 22.—Canada came to the support of a proposal by Holland, made before the Preparatory Disarmament Commission, that full exchange of information regarding war materials was essential to the success of any disarmament treaty.

Dr. W. A. Riddell, Canadian delegate to the commission, was supported in his view by Hugh S. Gibson, United States representative, who pointed out that his country already employs a system of full publicity and exchange of information.

SEVEN STATES HIT BY STORM; FIFTEEN DEAD

Seven Persons Missing While Winter Gives Way to Sunny Skies

THREE ARE FROZEN TO DEATH IN MOUNTAINS

Snow Melts and Transportation Restored to Normal Schedules

DENVER, Nov. 22.—Fifteen lives had been claimed and seven persons were unaccounted for as Winter gave way to sunny skies in the West today.

The five-day storm caused deaths in seven states, Colorado, California and New Mexico led the fatality list with three victims each.

The dead are:

Luciano Costillo, Guy Maner and Moses Salsgrom, who were frozen to death in the mountains of New Mexico. F. G. Evans, Mrs. Ed. Robertson and Howard Rhodes, claimed by the storm in Colorado.

Flavius A. Donaldson, George Rogers and Miss Jean Margow, killed when a Pacific Coast air mail plane crashed in the snowstorm in California.

Red Horse, Indian, frozen to death in Arizona.

A. C. Galloway and the infant of Mrs. Charles Moffatt, dead in South Dakota.

R. S. Byers, Nevada's storm victim.

Dr. H. L. Harp, who lost his life in El Paso, Texas.

William C. Godfrey, forest ranger in Oregon, first death attributed to the storm.

SEARCH CONTINUES

Search still was under way in New Mexico for Joe Norton, who is not expected to be found alive; James Tilford and William Blaine. All were lost in mountainous country.

A thirteen-year-old schoolboy was reported lost near La Junta, Colo., and no trace had been found of D. J. Bird, who was caught in a snowstorm forty-five miles south of Winslow, Ariz.

Two brothers, Oscar Burgess, of Englewood, Colo., and Henry Burgess, of Woodland Park, were reported missing today in the Mount Herman "Burn," west of Monument, Colo. They went into the district to cut wood Tuesday and are believed prisoners behind drifts.

In all parts of the West, warm, sunny weather prevailed today, snow was melting and transportation of all kinds restored to normal schedules. News of the additional deaths were brought into centres of population as outlying roads were opened.

MILITARY JUNTA IN PERU QUITS

Different Versions of Cause of Cabinet's Retirement Are Heard

LIMA, Nov. 22.—The provisional military cabinet, formed August 27 by President Luis M. Sanches Cerro, following upon a revolution which deposed Augusto B. Leguia, resigned last night.

An official communique said the ministers quit because they merely desired to give the President a free hand in selecting new assistants, now that the country is on the return to normalcy, but entirely different versions were heard outside.

One view is that much dissatisfaction has arisen because of the way in which a minister of the Government, Major Gustave Jiminez, handled recent labor troubles.

A well-informed source asserted that Sanchez Cerro last night telephoned unexpectedly to all members of the Junta, asking them to convene tonight. He was said to have condemned the handling of labor troubles in the Cerro de Pasco mining region, and said the general strike in Lima could have been avoided if proper steps had been taken in time. Gustavo Jiminez retorted that he was ready to resign, and after a brief consultation the group determined to quit as a body.

News Items in Brief

SAILS FOR OSLO

LONDON, Nov. 22.—Prince George, youngest son of King George, sailed today for Oslo, where he will represent the King and Queen at ceremonies celebrating the twenty-fifth anniversary of King Haakon's accession to the Norwegian throne.

CLASH WITH COMMUNISTS

HINDENBURG, Germany, Nov. 22.—A Fascist meeting ended tonight in a serious clash with Communists, one Communist being killed and several persons on both sides being injured.

NOTED OCULIST DIES

VIENNA, Nov. 22.—Dr. Ernest Fuchs, oculist, and professor at Vienna University, died here last night, at the age of seventy-eight. He was a noted authority on eye diseases.

REFUSES COALITION

VIENNA, Nov. 22.—Former Chancellor Jahann Schober, who obtained the balance of power in the national elections two weeks ago, yesterday spurned an offer from Chancellor Karl Vaugoin to join the existing Christian Social Government. Observers now feel that Vaugoin may resign.

FRENCH TRAINS COLLIDE

NANCY, France, Nov. 22.—One woman was killed and three other passengers injured last night when an accommodation train from Nancy ploughed into the last car of a special train which was transporting minerals.

FASCISTS WOUND THREE

BERLIN, Nov. 22.—A group of Fascists tonight invaded a dance hall where members of a workmen's club were frolicking, and wounded three persons with pistol shots, one dangerously.

CHARGED WITH CONSPIRACY

BERLIN, Nov. 22.—A Telegraphic Union dispatch from Kovno, Lithuania, today reported the Soviet secret police had arrested ninety-one persons at Khatov on a charge of conspiracy.

Three Lives Lost When Gale Lashes South California

Sea and Aerial Shipping at Standstill—Huge Plane Smashed to Pieces by Wind—Forest Fire Spread Rapidly by Blast—Highways Buried Under Drifting Sand

Citrus Fruit Crop Is Badly Damaged

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 22.—Destructive winds, roaring down from the Rockies like a universe on the move, turned Southern California's traditional balmy atmosphere into chaos today. Three lives were swept into oblivion by the tormented air. Others were injured by the freakish blasts of the irrisistible wind. A thousand men futilely battled a San Bernardino Mountain brush fire, sucked through canyons by fifty-mile gales.

Meteorological observers at airline terminals registered the wind at 105 miles an hour 7,500 feet above the earth, and declared it suggested the speed of hurtling meteors in the higher stratas. Shipping, both of the sea and air, was virtually at a standstill.

Small craft and harbor frontages took telling blows from wind and sea, scores of shattered plate-glass windows, dozens of overturned garages, hundreds of uprooted trees and many lifted roofs became the commonplaces of a day of atmospheric confusion. One $60,000 tri-motored airplane, parked on an air field, was hurled by the wind into a heap of wreckage.

Sand, lifted on the powerful scoop of the roaring gale, buried highways a foot deep, halting traffic or scoring clean of paint the unknowing motorist's car.

Golden oranges and ripening grapefruit, whipped about by the threshing furies, probably suffered the most.

Those who fell before the hurtling elements were two motorists, killed near San Bernardino in a collision due to the blinding sandstorms, and a forest fire dispatch rider, killed when knocked off his motorcycle by a motorist.

B.C.-Alaska Highway Endorsed by Washington Association

"THE Washington Good Roads Association reaffirmed its stand today in endorsing the Golden Twilight Highway and urging Federal co-operation. Delegates will do utmost to advance great project by all means possible." This the text of a wire received by Premier Tolmie yesterday from the Wenatchee gathering of the Washington motor body, in convention with approximately 500 delegates attending. The message referred also to the splendid address made by Patrick Philip, deputy minister of public works, who had given a concise review of the Golden Twilight Highway proposals.

The message was backed by the signature of ten members of the association who had taken part in the international caravan party which Premier Tolmie headed from the boundary line to Hazelton in June of this year. Asahel Curtis, Frank Terrace, P. E. Sands, Clyde Morris, Senator W. L. Dimmick, Walter Averill, Carl Cleveland, W. M. Price, W. Curry and G. Hafenbrack signed the message.

FIRE DESTROYS $18,000 HOME AT COWICHAN LAKE

Residence of L. Ashburnham Razed to Ground Early on Friday Evening

ORIGIN IS NOT KNOWN

Fire of unknown origin burned to the ground the sixteen-roomed home of Mr. L. Ashburnham, Cowichan Lake, on Friday evening. The outbreak began about 6 o'clock, and within an hour and a half had destroyed the $18,000 home and all of the belongings.

Discovery of the fire was made by Mr. Ashburnham, when shortly after 6 o'clock he was going down to stoke up the furnace and he noticed smoke coming from the lower part of the residence. He at once notified Mrs. Doreen, who were sitting in the living-room. Taking what they could Ashburnham and his daughter, on the way to safety, the two ladies sped out and endeavored to communicate with the people on the lake. By the time men arrived from the surrounding lumber camps and residences, the house was a total loss and nothing could have saved it. Partial insurance was carried on the house.

Mr. Ashburnham is now at the lake, while Mrs. and Miss Ashburnham arrived in the city yesterday where they are staying with friends until Mr. Ashburnham arrives.

JOBLESS VETERANS TO HAVE GOOD SHELTER

Building Provided for Vancouver Men—Beds and Equipment Donated by Citizens

VANCOUVER, Nov. 22.—A $50,000 six-story building has been donated rent free and Vancouver firms and individual citizens have contributed $15,000 worth of equipment to the Canadian Legion No. 19 rest billet, which opened today on Powell Street. It will be used to house unemployed and destitute veterans who saw service overseas.

Fifteen beds will be set up by tonight, but 200 men will be sleeping in the building over the week-end, it is anticipated by members of the public matters committee of the Legion, who are behind the entire scheme.

BEDS DONATED

Five hundred beds have been donated and will be set up within a few days. The men will be fed and clothed also.

The building is heated with stoves and wood that have been donated, and will very shortly be fitted with baths, reading and recreation-rooms.

Major Fordham, who owns the building, turned it over to the Legion on Friday. Today he turned down an offer of a ten-year lease on it from a business firm.

Congratulate Centenarian At Esquimalt

Daniel McIntosh, of 516 Constance Avenue, celebrating his hundredth birthday yesterday, was showered with congratulations from all sides, on reaching the grand century of a useful and hard working career, over forty years of which has been spent at sea.

Hon. S. L. Howe, Provincial Secretary, in a visit to Mr. McIntosh, conveyed the personal felicitations of Premier Tolmie, and the good wishes of the province as a whole. Mayor Ascomb heartily performed a similar office for the City of Victoria; while Reeve James Elrick and Esquimalt councillors were present in force to hail Esquimalt's splendid example of longevity and good health.

A long record of adventure has fallen to the lot of Daniel McIntosh, who took to the sea when windjammers were the fast clippers of the times, and who saw the stars from the decks of many a wooden vessel.

In possession of all his faculties, Mr. McIntosh greeted his callers with hearty cheer, and gave practical demonstration of an outstanding memory by recalling incidents which happened long before any of his distinguished visitors were born

"PEKING MAN" SKULL STARTS CONTROVERSY

Eminent Surgeon Says Bones Are Gorilla's—Shanghai Society Differs on "Missing Link"

SHANGHAI, Nov. 22.—Commenting on reports published abroad that Sir John Bland-Sutton had declared the famous "Peking man" skull to be that of a gorilla, members of the Shanghai Medical Society said tonight the eminent English surgeon's opinion was not conclusive.

They said Sir John, who talked to many of them while here and now is on his way to Hongkong, told them that from a "cursory examination his first impression was the skull appeared more like that of an advanced anthropoid ape than of a human." He emphasized to them, however, that definite conclusions would be possible only with extensive study.

The discovery of the "Peking man" skull a year ago aroused wide interest. Dr. Davidson Black, who studied the find, at first believed it that of a grown man, but later said it probably was the skull of a girl. A similar skull was found two months ago in the same area.

FORTY PERSONS WHO ABANDON AUTOS IN STORM ARE RESCUED

MANDAN, N.D., Nov. 22.—Isolated in a small cabin five miles west of here, more than forty persons, who abandoned their automobiles during yesterday's snowstorm, were rescued last night when a snowplough opened up the road leading to their shelter.

CONFERENCE STILL FACES GREAT TASK

Shaping of Details for Indian Federal Union to Start Monday

COMMITTEES WILL BE ENGAGED FOR WEEKS

Press Says Problem Will Be Difficult but Not Insuperable

LONDON, Nov. 22.—A widely-held view that the India Round Table Conference is headed toward shaping a Federal union of Indian states and British Indian provinces, was apparent in conference circles today.

There was widespread feeling that Premier Ramsay MacDonald's utterances before the conference yesterday, in which assurance was given the Indian delegates that the presentation of their case had not fallen on deaf ears, and intimating an eventual federation status for the Asiatic Empire, had done much to smooth difficulties in the way of eventual agreement.

FACE GREAT TASK

The great task now before the delegates is to hammer out details of agreement in long weeks of committee work, which will start Monday, when the important Federal relations committee begins its sessions.

There were no meetings of the conference today.

While the tone of the London press toward the last week of the conference activities, which consisted wholly of presentation of the members' viewpoints, is friendly, there are many editorial warnings that the assembly is just now approaching its real problems—problems which will be very difficult although not necessarily insuperable.

"Federation is now thrust straight to the forefront," says The Times today. "Skeptics already are asking how long the ideal of the past few days will remain of service during the next stages of the conference, for there is no doubt that the federation implies a definite sacrifice on the part of all its members."

SENATE MEMBERS TO BE SELECTED

Sharp Battle of Ballots Predicted at Polls in Poland Today

LOCAL DIET ELECTION

WARSAW, Nov. 22.—A sharp battle of ballots is predicted for Poland tomorrow when all Poles over thirty years of age bearing the franchise, go to the polls to elect eleven Senate members.

The Government's opposition, forced into a minority in the Sejm by last Sunday's elections, are making a special effort to maintain a majority in the Upper House so as to preserve for themselves a forum for party expressions. There have been no cancellations of Senate opposition lists, as was the case in balloting for Sejm members.

Simultaneously an election will be held for members of the Silesian local Diet, dissolved last September.

TWO BOYS KILLED IN SINGULAR WAYS

BAKERSFIELD, Cal., Nov. 22.—Two boys were killed here today in singular ways.

A puff of wind lifted a corrugated iron roof from a garage. A part of the roof slid off and decapitated Howard Collins, eleven, who was chopping wood in the backyard.

August Andreoli, sixteen, died of burns caused when he spilled gasoline on a hot exhaust pipe while pouring it into the tank of a truck. It ignited his clothes.

Death Penalty May Be Abolished in Britain

LONDON, Nov. 22.—A five-year experiment in substituting life imprisonment for the death penalty will be recommended to Parliament by its select committee on capital punishment, according to The Herald Thursday. Until the legislation is enacted, the Home Secretary should be advised by the House of Commons to commute death sentences, says the report, which is issuable before Christmas.

Studies Coal Problem in Province

HON. W. A. GORDON

Minister of Mines and Immigration, arrived here yesterday for a brief visit in the course of an official tour of the West.

CONSIDERATION IS GIVEN TO COAL MARKETS

Hon. W. A. Gordon Familiarizes Himself With Conditions in Western Canada

GOVERNMENT SURVEYS SITUATION IN B.C.

Holding the portfolios of Mines and Immigration in the Cabinet of Rt. Hon. R. B. Bennett, Hon. W. A. Gordon, who is also Acting Minister of Justice at this time, arrived in the city yesterday afternoon, and will remain until today. While on the Coast, Mr. Gordon has taken up a number of questions under his departments with the Provincial Government, notably the problem of coal production in British Columbia, conferring with Hon. W. A. McKenzie.

While no definite requests had been preferred by the Province, Mr. Gordon stated, both Governments were agreed on the objective that Canadian coal should be consumed in the Canadian market to the greatest extent economically possible, in preference to imported fuels. The problem, he said, was a complex one, and both Governments were busy analyzing the situation to see what could be done by the coal operators, the consumers, and the Government to improve conditions generally for the industry throughout the country.

IS PART OF POLICY

His present mission, continued Mr. Gordon, was part of the policy of the Federal Government, actuated by a desire to bring Ottawa closer to the boundaries of the country by a personal study of matters arising under the several departments.

Mr. Gordon told of the visit of F. G. Neate, executive secretary to the Dominion Fuel Board, who recently made a three weeks' inspection of British Columbia coal production facilities, and who has accompanied him on the present visit to the Coast. A series of conferences had been held on the subject, and every effort was being made to arrive at a satisfactory solution of the problem.

The Minister of Mines was accompanied to the city by Mrs. Gordon, F. G. Neate, and J. Cullen, his secretary. He will leave this afternoon, returning to the East.

D. B. Plunkett, member for Victoria in the Federal House, welcomed Hon. W. A. Gordon and Hon. T. G. Murphy on their arrival yesterday, after registration of the parties at the Empress Hotel.

BAD WEATHER KEEPS DO-X AT SANTANDER

SANTANDER, Spain, Nov. 22.—Nasty weather along the "Graveyard of the Spanish Peninsula" kept the German seaplane DO-X at anchor here tonight. No one could tell when she would resume her flight to Corunna or Serrol.

MANY INJURED BY PARIS WINDSTORM

PARIS, Nov. 23.—A violent windstorm struck Paris just after midnight, with reports from various parts of the city showing a considerable number of persons were injured by falling chimneys and scaffolding of buildings under construction.

The storm struck just as the theatres were closing and the cafes filled quickly with persons hunting refuge.

Might Create Dept. of Agricultural Research

TORONTO, Nov. 22.—"We will leave no stone unturned to create a Department of Agricultural Research," said Hon. Robert Weir, Minister of Agriculture for Canada, in an address to the Canadian Society of Technical Agriculturists last night. Mr. Weir told his hearers he spoke as a farmer to scientists, highly trained specialists, and would give them problems to solve.

"We farmers," said Mr. Weir, "expect you field men to get from scientists the solution of our problems and put that solution into our language and bring it to us. For if you told this with a degree of efficiency, you must have the confidence of the farmers."

Mr. Weir stated the machinery was in existence through the district representatives and other instruments whereby this information can be disseminated in an understandable form to the farmers.

Mr. Weir stressed the need for more equipment in agricultural research laboratories to hurry experiments.

"If any new truth can be discovered that will prevent wheat rust, or any new grade of wheat developed that will give use greater returns, additional money spent on experimental laboratories would be insignificant compared with the results obtained."

NAVY PLANES SPEND NIGHT AT ALERT BAY

Expect to Join Air Force Machines at Prince Rupert Today

NO TRACE FOUND OF MISSING AVIATORS

Veteran Arctic Explorer Believes Burke and Companions Safe

ALERT BAY, Nov. 22.—Lieutenant C. F. Greber and Lieutenant C. G. Alexander arrived here this afternoon in command of two Boeing amphibian planes. The planes were accompanied by the U.S.N. tender Swan. This detail is from the United States naval air base at San Diego and is proceeding north to search for the lost pilot, Pat Renahan. The two naval planes left Seattle at 11 a.m. today and arrived at Alert Bay about 3 p.m.

They carry a complement of one officer and two men on each plane. Tomorrow morning at dawn they will refuel from the Swan and proceed to Ketchikan.

BELIEVES AIRMEN SAFE

VANCOUVER, Nov. 22. — That Captain E. J. A. Burke, Vancouver air pilot, Emil Kading and Bob Barten, missing since they began a flight from Lliard Post to Atlin on October 11, may be safe and only awaiting the complete Winter freezeup before beginning a long mush to civilization, is the theory advanced by Colonel J. K. "Jim" Cornwall, pioneer Arctic trader, explorer and prospector, now visiting Vancouver.

Colonel "Jim," whose experience in the North runs back more than forty years, is firmly convinced that Burke and his party are safe. If they did crash, and he eliminates this possibility from his calculations because of Burke's flying ability, he is sure they are safe and will come out without much trouble when weather conditions give them opportunity.

TWO LEAVE SMITHERS

The two Pacific International Airways, Limited, planes, which have been stormbound at Smithers for more than a week, hopped off for Telegraph Creek today, en route to Atlin, where they will take up the search for the Burke party.

Two Air Force planes in a three-hour search today from Prince Rupert found no trace of Captain Robin "Pat" Renahan and party.

MAY BE HELD FOR WEEK

SEATTLE, Nov. 22.—The plane used by Anscel Eckmann, chief pilot of the Alaska-Washington Airways, during three weeks of flying in the North searching for missing flyers, must be completely overhauled, officials announced today. Possibly a week will elapse, they said, before he can return north.

PREMIER THINKS MEETINGS WILL ASSIST FARMERS

Hon. J. E. Brownlee Hopeful of Success of Conferences in East

BENNETT TO REVIEW SITUATION IN WEST

MONTREAL, Nov. 22.—Full of hope that the discussions he and his fellow premiers from the Prairie Provinces have had with Eastern bankers and the Dominion Government will result in benefit to the West, Hon. J. E. Brownlee, Premier of Alberta, left for the West tonight. Premier John Bracken of Manitoba went to Toronto from New York today and will leave for Winnipeg from there.

"I am very hopeful that as a result of the discussions between all interested parties here some constructive action will result in the very near future that will have a beneficial effect on the whole situation in the West," said Mr. Brownlee.

The Alberta Premier indicated he expected the whole position of Western agriculture would again be considered on the return of Premier R. B. Bennett from Great Britain. Pending that time he said the arrangements entered into the last few days would prove of benefit to the West. Asked as to whether he would come East again to see Premier Bennett on his return, Mr. Brownlee said he did not expect so. If Mr. Bennett sent for him he would come, but he did not expect he would be needed here again in connection with the wheat situation.

Mr. Brownlee refused to say whether the satisfactory result he expected meant an extension of credit by the banks to the wheat pools or measures designed to stabilize the price of wheat.

FAVOR SIX-HOUR DAY

CHICAGO, Nov. 22.—Representatives of five major railway brotherhoods agreed today, after nearly two weeks of conference, to support a proposal for a six-hour day as a means of relieving unemployment in the ranks of rail workers.

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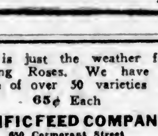

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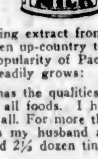

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RUMORS OF IMPENDING RETURN OF ARCHDUKE WITHOUT FOUNDATION

BUDAPEST, Nov. 22.—Premier Bethlen, of Hungary, today assured the Associated Press that all rumors of an impending return of Archduke Otto, pretender to the Hungarian Throne, were without foundation.

Even Hungarian legitimists, he said, "have acknowledged that the monarchial question can be settled only by Parliament and the Parliament is fully aware of the international and domestic complications which would result from raising this issue now or in the immediate future."

American talkies in German are being shown in the Netherlands.

MIAMI, Nov. 22.—Dispatches reached here from Cuba stating that the political unrest in the island is seething beneath a "quiet surface and that a crisis is near.

The university student leaders in the disturbances which have caused Havana to be placed under martial law, refused to mediate between the students and the Government.

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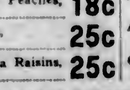

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BLUE RIBBONS TRIM HARMONY IN FAST GAME

Girls' City Hoop Fixture Ends in 18-13 Score—Royal Oaks Down West Road

KEATING TRIUMPHS OVER SERVICE MEN

With Keating, Blue Ribbon and Royal Oak defeating Fountain Service Station, Harmony and West Road, respectively, a fair crowd of fans was treated to some excellent basketball last night at the "Y" gymnasium. In the first game, Royal Oak downed West Road, 23 to 20, while in the second, Blue Ribbon girls won from Harmony, 18 to 13. Keating took the final game from Fountain Service, 35 to 21, after displaying some good ball.

During the opening period of the Keating-Fountain Service battle, the latter piled up a lead of six points, but with Kersey and Mitchell going strongly, this lead was soon overcome, and at the rest period the Keating squad led 19 to 9. During the second half, Fountain Service lost two men on personals, which weakened them considerably, with the result that Keating outscored their opponents 16 to 12, giving them the game, 35 to 21. For Keating, Kersey and Mitchell, along with Smith, turned in fine games, while Hill and Passmore starred for the losers.

BLUE RIBBONS WIN

In probably the best girls' game of the season, Blue Ribbon trounced Harmony, 18-13. During the first half the teams battled neck and neck, with the winners holding a slight lead of three points at the interval. The last stanza was closely fought, but try as they did, Harmony could not gain the upper hand, and lost the game, 18 to 13. B. Peden, J. Edwards and R. Bethel stood out for Blue Ribbon, while M. Peden was high scorer for Harmony.

In the West Road game, Royal Oak downed West Road, 23 to 20, after holding a three-point lead with only three men on the floor in the last few minutes of play. T. Spencer, with seventeen points, was high scorer for Royal Oak, while J. Bickford, with seven points, led West Road.

Alan Le Marquand refereed all games, and the teams were:

Blue Ribbon—B. Peden (6), T. Rennie, K. Wellburn (2), D. Holder, J. Edwards (5), B. Boyce (2), R. Bethel (2), C. Atherton, D. Lea (1).

Harmony—I. Alexander (1), M. Peden (6), L. Lalonde, E. Matthews (2), A. Taylor, M. Hall (1), B. MacMurchie (3), B. Armstrong.

Royal Oak—Scruton (4), Spencer (17), Cornwall (2), Godtel and Bianco.

West Road—W. Sluggett (3), C. Sluggett (4), Shiner (2), J. Bickford (7), Creed (3), and A. Bickford (1).

Keating—Smith (6), Bates (4), Michell (12), Kersey (13), Cunningham, Atkinson and Styan.

Fountain Service — Baker (3), Jones (2), Williams (7), Hill (7), Petticrew, Passmore and Weed (2).

ISLAND HOCKEYISTS LOSE TO VANCOUVER

Mainlanders Score 6 to 0 Victory in First of O.B. Allan Cup Fixtures

VANCOUVER, Nov. 22.—Vancouver defeated the Island representatives 6-0 in the first intercity grass hockey game of the season at Brockton Point today, and took a strangle hold on the O. B. Allan silverware, at present held by the Islanders. The second game of the series will be played in Victoria, March 21.

The Islanders were far below their usual standard, and but for a steady defence would have been beaten more heavily. The Vancouver forwards played finely, Finnie, Abercrombie and Peers giving splendid displays. Finnie scored the opening goal and added another shortly afterwards. Price put on a third, and Finnie found the net again before half-time, which arrived with the score 4-0.

Peers registered a fifth with an excellent shot from the edge of the circle, and Finnie registered the sixth after splendid combination on the right wing.

BRITISH SPEED ACE TO SEEK NEW MARK AT DAYTONA BEACH

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22. — The king of British automobile speed drivers, Captain Malcolm Campbell, has asked the American Automobile Association's contest board for permission to make another assault early next year at Daytona Beach on the record.

His 206.956 miles per hour, set at Daytona in 1928, was raised to 231.362 miles an hour last year by the late Sir H. O. D. Segrave, also a British driver.

Announcing Campbell's request today, the board said there were indications that other attempts to better the record would be made next year. Investigations are under way to determine whether other courses than that at the Florida beach are available.

CHINESE VEGETABLE TRUCK DRIVER HELD UP BY DARING THUGS

VANCOUVER, Nov. 22.—Two daring thugs effected a holdup at broad noon in the 1300 block of Fifteenth Avenue East today.

Lo On, Chinese vegetable truck driver, Main Street, was the victim.

The two hold-up men, both armed with guns, jumped on the side of his truck and commanded the driver to "stick 'em up." They got $6.

The victim was by no means passive, however, and his outcries brought residents to their front doors.

The bandits made a hasty and effective retreat into the fog.

Fables and Foibles

Being Verse and Worse

By H. T. M.

WHEN I AM OLD

When I am old, will little boys
Place peel upon the street,
Then scuttle off, exploding joys,
As skyward go my feet. . . ?
(I think they will.)
When I am old, will little boys
Climb pole or cantilever,
Thence, safely ridicule my poise,
By shouting, "Beaver! Beaver!" . . . ?
(I bet they will.)
When I am old, will little boys
Be equally provoking
As we were once,—just bags of noise,
And only fit for choking. . . ?
(I know they will.)

VANCOUVER MAN WINS $400,000 IN SWEEPSTAKE

A. P. Dawe Plans to Pay Debt on Gas Station Then Tour

GOVERNMENT TAXES WILL REDUCE TOTAL

VANCOUVER, Nov. 22.—Not more than once, and only in the lives of a few, does a telephone call at 7:30 o'clock on a foggy morning mean a gift of $409,500, but A. P. Dawe, a native son of Vancouver, residing at 2780 West Eighth Avenue, is one of the few.

Four months ago Mr. Dawe, to be obliging, took a ticket in the Irish Free State Sweepstake, and this morning he heard over the phone a cable from the Old Country telling that he had won £81,400 as second prize.

OPERATES GAS STATION

Mr. Dawe, who is a young man of about twenty-eight, operates a garage and service station at Macdonald Street and Broadway. Although he had little time to get used to the idea of possessing the biggest part of half a million dollars, he said that his first step, when he gets his prize, will be to clear the garage of debt.

His next step will be to deed the garage to the two boys who now assist him in running it. The lucky lads who will benefit by the Irish Free State Sweepstake to the extent of one garage and service station are Bill Milne and Dave Thomas.

Then he and his wife probably will take a trip. He has not yet quite made up his mind, but that probably will be the procedure.

KNEW OF CHANCES

Hearing a few days ago that his number had been drawn for Coligny II, one of the thirty horses to run in the big race, he knew there was a long chance of getting something worth while. The long chance won for him.

A long chance it certainly was—one in 3,000,000 in the first instance, as that is the number of tickets sold.

Vancouver's lucky son's father is Capt. A. W. Dawe.

An astute, good-looking fellow, typically a seafaring man in appearance, Dawe refused to sell the sweepstake ticket to a host of speculators who had been besieging him since he first knew that he had drawn a horse.

HAS DRAWBACKS

Winning a fortune has its drawbacks.

If Dawe draws his $409,500 sweepstake prize money before the end of this year while still a resident of Canada, he will have to pay back to the Dominion Government in taxes 48 per cent, less a 20 per cent discount. This is according to an income tax official today.

In addition the Provincial Government will claim 8 per cent as its share for the income tax.

Next year, should Mr. Dawe continue to live here, he'll only have to pay the tax on the income derived from the money, as it will then be considered capital, but for the year he cashes it the total sum will be checked up against his name as income.

There is a possibility also that the British Government may take a levy before the money leaves that country.

PREMIER FERGUSON BACK IN TORONTO

TORONTO, Nov. 22.—Premier G. Howard Ferguson is back in Toronto. Hale and hearty after his long stay in England, the Premier of Ontario was met this morning on his arrival in the provincial capital by Hon. W. H. Price, Attorney-General, and other friends. Mr. Ferguson expressed pleasure in being home again.

"I have really nothing of importance to say," said Mr. Ferguson.

"Any developments as to the London High Commissionership?" he was asked. "I am quite shy on that subject now," replied the Premier, who has been repeatedly mentioned for the position.

CANADIAN LEGION W.A.

The Britannia Branch and Ladies' Auxiliary of the Canadian Legion are busy preparing for another of their card games, which is to be held tomorrow evening in their clubrooms, 715 View Street. Partner whist will be played, and excellent prizes are being given. The first game of the Winter series was held last Monday evening when fifty-five tables were in play.

IF YOUR EARS RING WITH HEAD NOISES

If you have catarrhal deafness or head noises go to your druggist and get 1 ounce of Parmint (double strength), and add to it ¼ pint of hot water and a little sugar. Take a tablespoonful four times a day.

This will often bring quick relief from the distressing head noises. Clogged nostrils should open, breathing become easy and the mucous stop dropping into the throat. It is easy to prepare, costs little, and is pleasant to take. Anyone who has catarrhal deafness or head noises should give this prescription a trial. (Advt.)

TO PRESERVE NATURAL LIFE OF DOMINION

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INTERESTED IN PLAN

Before leaving, Mr. Murphy said he expected to receive the detailed report made by J. M. Wardle on the sea-level park proposals at Banff on his return to the East. Until the perusal of this report, he stated, no opinion could be ventured on the ultimate course that would be followed, but great interest had been created by the suggestion, which was advanced by Premier Tolmie at Ottawa last month.

Through its national parks, the Dominion was seeking to preserve the natural environment of Canadian plant and animal life, coupled with recreational facilities for its populace, explained Mr. Murphy. A magnificent start had already been made under this policy, national parks in Canada serving as a compelling magnet for the attraction of increasing numbers of visitors annually.

His present tour, Mr. Murphy continued, was to familiarize himself with matters under control of his department by a first-hand study of the situation across Canada.

His journey, he said, had given him abundant evidence of the recuperative powers of the West and, though economic conditions were admittedly severe in portions of the Prairies, hope ran high that after the present period of readjustment was over, safe and steady progress would be made.

Mr. Murphy paid his respects to Premier Tolmie, who has been confined to his home for the last few days with a slight indisposition. With Hon. W. A. Gordon, Minister of Mines, and Hon. E. N. Rhodes, Minister of Fisheries, Hon. T. G. Murphy dined with Hon. R. Randolph Bruce last evening.

Regimental Orders

5TH (B.C.) COAST BRIGADE, C.A.

Brigade Orders by Lieut.-Col. T. B. Monk, V.D., Commanding 5th (B.C.) Coast Brigade, C.A., Headquarters, November 22, 1930.

Examination, Specialists. The examination of specialists, gunlayers and D.R.F., will take place at headquarters on the following dates: November 24, 26 and 27, 1930, 8 hours, and at Fort Macauley, November 30, 1930, at 10 hours.

Board of Officers. The following will constitute a board of officers to examine candidates in G.L. and D.R.F. on the above-mentioned dates: President, Major J. B. Clearihue, M.C., 56th Battery. Members: Capt. W. C. Thackray, R.C.A.; Lieut. W. G. Scott, 55th Battery.

Rifle Shooting. Those members of the brigade taking part on the miniature ranges on Friday, November 28, will use the Field Street basement entrance.

Officers' Mess Meeting. The monthly meeting of the officers' mess will take place on Wednesday, November 26, 1930, at 8 hours. Dress: Service dress with slacks.

S. R. BOWDEN,
Captain and Adjutant.
5th (B.C.) Coast Brigade, C.A.

"A" Company, 11th Machine Gun Battalion, C.M.G.C.

Parades: The company will parade at the Armories at 8 p.m. on Tuesday, November 25, 1930. Dress, drill order.

Notices: There are still vacancies for a few recruits. Application for particulars of service should be made to the orderly room, the Armories, on Tuesday evenings from 8 to 10 o'clock. Car fare will be given to enable members of the company to get to and from the Armories, where necessary. The gymnasium and swimming pool are available to members of the company on Wednesday evenings.

W. A. R. HADLEY,
Major, Commanding "A" Co'y.

Wills Probated

In the Supreme Court during the past week the following wills were the subject of applications for probate or administration of the estates represented: Joseph M. Hawthorne, of Seattle, who died April 2, 1929, British Columbia estate $3,000; Harry Wyles, of Victoria, who died June 12, 1929, estate $5,000; Mary Willock, of Victoria, who died October 7, 1930, estate $7,502.

SENSATION IS CREATED

PARIS, Nov. 22.—Announcement in the Chamber of Deputies today that a portfolio of M. Reynaud, Minister of Finance, containing important documents, had disappeared mysteriously, has created a sensation.

It was at first thought the portfolio had contained the papers connected with the Outfric banking failure, now under governmental investigation, but later it was said officially that they contained documents concerning a vast governmental project for a national commercial and industrial development.

TO LECTURE ON HYGIENE

Dr. H. W. Hill, of the University of British Columbia, and the Vancouver General Hospital, will be the speaker at Thursday's meeting of the University Extension Association, to be held in Victoria College. His subject, "The New Hygiene," is expected to be both interesting and thought-provoking.

RARE DISPLAY RECALLS PAST

Unique Exhibit to Be Shown at Hudson's Bay Company's Store

ALL WORKS ORIGINALS

Ancient maps and charts that recall the days when explorers set forth to find new trade routes and discovered continents, will be exhibited on the fourth floor of Hudson's Bay Company store commencing tomorrow and continuing throughout the week.

Collected by George Binney, B.A., F.R.G.S., special commissioner of Hudson's Bay Company, they reveal the growth of world geography from Elizabethan times to the beginning of the nineteenth century.

All prominent European capitals were explored for these maps and charts, which are all originals.

AN ANCIENT MAP

The most ancient map is Abraham Ortelius' map of the world made in 1570, when the Spaniards, besotted with the golden ingots of the Spanish Main, were planning their mighty armada to overthrow Good Queen Bess and her staunch English seamen.

Perhaps the most striking feature of the map is realization of the extent to which the shape of the earth was already known and roughly charted only seventy-eight years after Columbus had discovered America.

As the main purpose of the exhibition is to trace the exploration and colonization of North America, there are many maps and charts of extreme interest to Canadians and Americans, quaintly decorated with galleons, sea monsters, savages and wild animals. It seems as though the old map-makers portrayed the very words of the Psalm: "This great and wide sea, wherein the things creeping innumerable, both small and great beasts. There go the ships, there is that leviathan whom Thou hast made to play therein."

SAVAGE B.C.

Map No. 61 in the collection (dated 1636) depicts China and Japan, and in the far corner is the outline of Northwest America, with two prancing deer and a remarkable inscription in Latin to the effect that: "The inhabitants of those regions (British Columbia) live in the manner of savages having no civilization."

A map of New England and New York (No. 32) is surmounted with the royal arms of Britain. Then there is a very early Dutch chart of Hudson Strait, with the picture of a sea fight in progress between rival fur traders (No. 23). Of the later maps, one of the most interesting is No. 22, showing the State of Oregon within the Canadian border in 1840.

PICTURESQUE CHART

Perhaps the most picturesque chart of all is No. 40, showing Cape Horn and the Straits of Magellan in 1660. It depicts a fleet of merchant vessels in the grip of the "Roaring Forties" in the days, old and bold, before sailors dreamed of easy access to the Pacific through the Panama Canal.

A map of Europe drawn in 1669 is dedicated to "The High and Mighty Prince James, Duke of York and Albany, Lord High Admiral of England, Knight of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, sole brother and privy councillor to his Sacred Majesty King Charles II."

It will be remembered that in the year following, Prince James (later James II of England) was among the founders of the Adventurers of England, trading into Hudson Bay. Several beautiful old maps of Britain, decorated in gold leaf, are among the collection and will be a source of interest to many, who will find thereon homes of their ancestors.

VETERANS INTERESTED

Of deep interest to veterans of the Great War are Maps Nos. 45 and 46, showing Picardy and Flanders, with many of the towns and hamlets such as Cambrai, St. Quentin, Ypres, Bapaume and Riancourt—280 years before they were destined for the shambles of the battlefields.

No. 47 shows the Riviera in 1636; while No. 51, at an equally early date, shows Monte Carlo (Monaco).

CHANGE IN FISH REGULATIONS IS ASKED FOR B.C.

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interest and co-operation of the Federal department through Mr. Rhodes, who had shown himself fully alive to the needs of the industry.

"This province feels very deeply interested in the progress of its fisheries, as one of the major industries," Mr. Howe stated. "We want our fisheries conserved, to maintain the benefits they have yielded for future times as well as the needs of today.

"I pointed out to the Minister of Fisheries that owing to present Dominion regulations, providing for a weekly closed season of forty-eight hours, and with the limited number of licences issued in certain districts, this limit is sometmes exceeded, which cuts down the working time of the fishermen from five days to four.

"Under this system the fisherman is the sufferer, and it is my opinion that the regulations should be changed, so that the fishermen will be guaranteed five days a week, and so enabled to make a better living.

"We are also faced with the marketing problem, in competition with the fisheries of Japan and Siberia, and the attendant necessity to maintain the quality of the pack. These and other points were touched on at the conference, and I have every confidence in the continued co-operation of the department in consideration of those measures, which will bring results of practical benefit to the industry," stated Mr. Howe.

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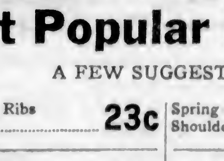

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Greenwich, England, has a battle over Sunday dog racing.

CHICAGO, Nov. 22.—Mayor William Hale Thompson left the hospital today for the first time since his appendicitis operation to dedicate the new Roosevelt Road Bridge over the Chicago River. Bundled in a huge fur coat and waving gaily to the crowds as he rode in his open red touring car, the Mayor appeared to be well on the way to full recovery.

TWELVE NOW ON COUNCIL SLATE

Twenty-One Candidates Seek Nine Vacant Seats on Boards of City

MAYOR IS UNOPPOSED

Candidates for the five vacant seats on the Victoria City Council reached a round dozen yesterday with the announcement of the candidature of W. D. Todd, coal and wood merchant, for municipal office. Of the twelve candidates three are women, Miss Kate Fraser, Mrs. Alice McGregor and Mrs. M. J. Roberts, who have all signified their intention of allowing their names to go on the ballot.

Mr. Todd's platform is as follows: A policy of liquidation of reverted lands; promotion of new industries; more attractions for the tourists, and the establishment of an air and sea port for planes in Victoria.

SCHOOL BOARD

Only five names have been submitted for the three vacancies on the School Board, three are present members and two are newcomers in the field.

Three names have been listed as candidates for the Board of Police Commissioners' only vacant seat.

SLATE TO DATE

For Council—W. H. Cullin, W. T. Straith, James Adam, E. S. Woodward, H. O. Litchfield, present aldermen seeking re-election, and R. T. Williams, Mrs. Alice McGregor, John Harvey, William K. White, Miss Kate Fraser, Mrs. M. J. Roberts and W. D. Todd.

For School Board—George Jay, G. A. Hebden, W. C. Moresby, sitting members, and Dr. Stanley Miles and P. E. George.

For Police Commission—W. E. Staneland, sitting member, and Mrs. Joseph North and E. E. Heath.

No candidates have been mentioned as likely to consider a contest with Mayor Herbert Anscomb, who has already announced his candidaure for a third term.

TRANSFER PATIENTS TO NEW T.B. PAVILION

Extension at Jubilee Hospital Completed, and Renovation Proceeding on Old Section

The new pavilion at the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital for tubercular patients has at last been completed, and about twenty-five patients have been transferred to the new quarters.

This enables workmen to proceed with the remodeling and renovation of the old part. When this is completed the T.B. pavilion will accommodate about forty patients, as against the present thirty. And besides being compact and much more convenient for the nurses on duty, the new part is very bright and cheerful, and the arrangement of the windows makes it possible to remove them and throw open practically the whole of the southern front in fine weather, or close it up and have complete comfort for the patients on the coldest Winter days. The plans for the new pavilion were thoroughly passed upon before construction was begun, having been thrown open to the hospital consultant staff and also being submitted to and approved by Dr. A. F. Lamb, provincial inspector of T.B. hospitals. For the present, pending the completion of the old quarters, the male patients are occupying the section of the new pavilion which will eventually be assigned to the women, and the women are in temporary quarters fitted up in the administrative part of the building.

Recently the Jubilee Hospital installed a new 150 horse power boiler in the engine-room. This increases the steam capacity of the plant by more than 50 per cent, and practically the entire system has now been changed over to steam heat.

COLEMAN AND PARTY HERE FOR WEEK-END

Vice-President of Canadian Pacific Western Lines Guest at Government House

D. C. Coleman, vice-president of Western lines of the Canadian Pacific Railway, arrived in Victoria yesterday afternoon aboard the C.P.Ss. Princess Charlotte and is leaving tonight for Vancouver, where he will address a luncheon of the Canadian Club, on Monday.

Mr. Coleman came over from the Mainland to attend a dinner given by His Honor the Lueltenant-Governor, at Government House, last night. In Mr. Coleman's party were C. A. Cotterell, general superintendent of the British Columbia division; George A. Allan, chairman of the Canadian committee of the Hudson's Bay Company; M. E. Nichols, managing director of The Winnipeg Tribune, and T. C. Macnabb, engineer in charge of construction for the Canadian Pacific. All were guests at Government House last night.

W. J. Blake-Wilson, director of the British Columbia Power Corporation, of Vancouver, is also a member of Mr. Coleman's party.

Flying is as safe as walking, says an aviator. Still, it won't be so dangerous later on.

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To Debate Wednesday

H. TREVOR LLOYD

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The two upper pictures show the British debaters who will cross swords with the local team on Wednesday evening in the Chamber of Commerce. The subject will be, "Resolved, that this House favors a tax on bachelors." Tickets may be obtained from any of the service clubs.

Armistice Period-Red Cross Fund

Objective sought	20,000.00
Amount collected	18,609.08
Balance required	$ 1,309.92
Yesterday's subscriptions	174.60

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CHEAPER GASOLINE IS AGAIN SOUGHT

Automobile Club Has Called Meeting of Dealers for Monday to Discuss Situation

Not satisfied with the price at which gasoline is being sold in this province, the local branch of the Automobile Club of British Columbia will make another effort to get results. With this in view, there will be a meeting in the Chamber of Commerce rooms on Monday afternoon, at 4 o'clock, when the subject of what action should be taken will be discussed.

At a previous meeting of the executive of the automobile club, to which were invited representatives of the motor dealers of the city, of the service stations and the wholesale representatives, it was decided to ask the wholesalers for a reduction which would bring the price of gasoline into closer conformity with that charged in Ontario. At that meeting none of the representatives of the wholesalers were present.

Since the forwarding of the resolution calling for a reduction in the wholesale price of gasoline there has been no reply received from the wholesalers, it is announced by the secretary of the automobile club, R. R. Webb.

At the meeting on Monday the executive of the club is asking the attendance of representatives of the motor dealers and of the service stations of the city for the purpose of discussing the situation as it now stands and deciding upon what action should be taken.

THREE MINISTERS TO LEAVE FOR EAST FROM VANCOUVER TOMORROW

VANCOUVER, Nov. 22.—According to their present plans, three Federal Cabinet ministers will journey East from Vancouver on Monday over the Canadian Pacific Railway. They are: Hon. E. N. Rhodes, Minister of Fisheries; Hon. W. A. Gordon, Minister of Immigration and Colonization and Minister of Mines, and Hon. Thomas G. Murphy, Minister of the Interior.

Mr. Gordon will meet Southern Alberta Coal operators in Calgary on Tuesday, November 27, while Mr. Murphy will spend Tuesday at Banff. Mr. Rhodes will leave for the East Monday evening.

Vacancy in Commons

COOKSTOWN, County Tryone, Ireland, Nov. 22.—Another vacancy occurred in the House of Commons today by the death at his home here of T. J. Harbison, Nationalist member for Tryone and Fermanagh.

Mr. Harbison was elected without opposition as one of the division's two representatives in the last general election. He had sat in Parliament from 1918, representing East Tryone until 1924.

Holly Growers Organize

Island holly growers will meet in the office of Pemberton & Son on Thursday at 3 o'clock for the purpose of organization.

CONVENTION TO GET UNDER WAY SUNDAY

Dart Coon Club of Canada to Hold Fourteenth Annual Session—Many Delegates to Attend

With delegates from different parts of Canada in attendance, the fourteenth annual convention of the Dart Coon Club of Canada will get under way at 558 Fisgard Street, tomorrow afternoon. Upwards of thirty visiting delegates will attend the parley. Up-Island representatives arrived late last night, while others will arrive this morning. Eastern Canada representatives will reach the city today in preparation for the opening on Sunday.

The Dart Coon Club, located at 558 Fisgard Street, the headquarters of the organization, is gaily decorated for the event. Streamers in Chinese, giving messages of welcome to the visitors are displayed at the fornt of the building, while numbers of small lights add to the decoration scheme, which is composed of evergreen and colored streamers.

Following the business session on Sunday afternoon, the visitors and local members will be entertained at the Dart Coon Club by a Chinese orchestra. The public is invited to visit the club on Sunday night and listen to the weird music.

TO RESUME TRIAL ON CAUSES OF FIRE AT SHAWNIGAN LAKE

The trial of the action which was launched against the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Company by various losers of property at Shawnigan Lake as a result of a fire which took place there early in the Summer, is to be resumed here on Monday before Mr. Justice W. A. Macdonald. The case started last month, but Mr. Justice Macdonald, after spending nearly a week in the taking of evidence, was obliged to postpone the further hearing in order to take Assize sittings in the Interior of the province.

On Monday the evidence of the railway company against the contention that the loss of private property was attributable to the company setting out a fire on the right of way for the burning of refuse, will have to be submitted.

In addition to this, the other branch of the case will have to be gone into, which is the setting of the value of the loss should it be found that the railway company was responsible. It is, therefore, expected that the case will occupy most of the coming week. The claimants from Shawnigan Lake are represented by A. Bull and G. E. Housser, of Vancouver, while J. E. McMullen, Canadian Pacific Railway solicitor in Vancouver, represents the E. & N.

TWO KILLED IN GANG WARFARE AT ST. LOUIS

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 22.—Gang warfare flared again here today, Lester Barth and Ewey Goebel, principals in a reported split in the Cuckoo gang, being shot with machine guns from a passing automobile as they sat in their parked car. Barth was killed and Goebel was expected to die.

Police said they had been informed by underworld tipsters, Barth and Goebel were suspected by Cuckoo gang members of leading a machine gun attack on a Cuckoo distillery near Valmeyer, Ill., two months ago, in which Pete McTigue, Cuckoo gang leader, and another man, were killed and two others wounded.

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COLUMBIA SCHOOL STUDENTS ENTERTAIN

A recital of much merit was given by students from the intermediate grade of the Columbia School of Music, on Friday evening. Some delightful piano solos and duets were rendered by the students, outstanding ones being Katherine Sceat's playing of "Butterflies," by Esposito. Edwin Lovell and Orca Lamerton. Most pleasing were those played by Aninta Seabrook, Violet Waite, Harold Alexander, Doris MacDonald, Harold Lyons, Annie McNeill, Elate Cross and Nancy Anthony, and excellent duet work was shown by Aninta Seabrook and Orca Lamerton, Violet Waite and Nancy Anthony, Edwin Lovell and Walter Colvin.

Among the violin solos the one played by Robert O'Neill deserves special mention, and very good was that played by Katherine Sceats. Erwin Davies made her first appearance in recital, singing Foster's "Rose and a Bud."

MEXICAN MAYOR MURDERED

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 22.—Dispatches from Manzanillo say that Filipe Rocha, mayor of that city, and Jose Duponi, member of the Colima State Legislature, has been murdered. It was added that Miguel Magallon, chief warden of the Manzanillo jail, was held in connection with an investigation.

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CANADIAN PACIFIC EXPENDITURES

Mr. E. W. Beatty's summary of the part which the Canadian Pacific Railway plays in national development gains in significance because the company is divorced altogether from politics. It is a private organization, the greatest of its kind, operating in the interests of efficiency, and, incidentally, proving a factor in Empire building of a very high significance. It is the trustee, as Mr. Beatty says, of hundreds of millions of Canadian, British and American capital. It preserves, as perhaps no other organization does to the same extent, the good name of investment in the Dominion.

Figures are the indications of developments that always make the deepest impression on the public mind. Mr. Beatty has given some in respect to C.P.R. activities that present the company in the light of the eminent factor it is in our progress. Within the past ten years it has made a capital expenditure of over $386,000,000 in the Dominion. Its daily payroll is $267,000; its daily tax bill, $21,900, while it distributes daily for material and supplies a sum of $220,000. On the basis of these figures it is estimated that within the past decade it has disbursed $500,000,000, which amounts to a per capita outlay of over $50 for every man, woman and child in the Dominion.

In the record of the progress of the C.P.R. in ten years 2,000 miles of railway have been rock ballasted; on over 1,300 miles there has been block signaling established and the weight of rail has been increased. New construction has been nearly 2,500 miles. In that period it has added facilities to its shipping interests costing $95,000,000. In other words, by a system of replacement, it has today almost an entirely new fleet of vessels as compared with ten years ago. This is its conception of keeping abreast of the times by constantly establishing new and up-to-date facilities.

The C.P.R. is an immense factor in giving employment in the Dominion. Always showing prevision in any policy it adopts, something that is possible because of its close acquaintance with economic conditions, it proceeds on safe and conservative lines, continually advancing and keeping more than abreast with national development. It is an asset of prime importance in making for that development in a broad and comprehensive way. It has been the greatest land settlement factor in the history of Canada, and, speaking in an all round sense, the leading influence in the country's economic welfare. This is possible, to a large extent, because it has stood outside political influences. It has been conducted on true economic lines and on the basis of common sense, which has been reinforced by excellent management, always well sustained. Mr. Beatty's latest figures afford an insight into what this great railway company means to the material well being of the Dominion.

VISITING CABINET MINISTERS

The attitude of the Ministers of the Federal Government who are, and have been, visiting British Columbia is one of an alert desire to learn everything possible about our problems, the solution of which can in any way be assisted by the different administrative departments at Ottawa. Mr. E. N. Rhodes, the Minister of Fisheries, is now here, as well as Mr. W. A. Gordon, the Minister of Immigration, and Mr. T. G. Murphy, the Minister of the Interior and Superintendent-General of Indian Affairs. All three have spent some time in Vancouver investigating a variety of matters on which they are informing themselves with a view to future developments.

Mr. Rhodes, a former Premier of Nova Scotia, is new to his Ottawa office but he comes from a seafaring section of the Dominion and has undoubtedly an excellent knowledge of fisheries because in many ways they came within his purview while administering affairs in the Maritime Province. He is viewing conditions in British Columbia, entirely from the standpoint that he has everything to learn. This means he is willing to ascertain and absorb the local viewpoint. He does not pretend that he can begin to learn everything during his present visit. He has promised, after the next session of Parliament, to return to British Columbia and spend some weeks here informing himself to a wider degree. He realizes that the fisheries of this province have suffered in the past through long distance administration. This is one condition he seeks to right by a better first hand acquaintance with our problems, and it may be that before long more direct responsibility in the matter of regulations will be vested in officials on the coast.

Mr. Gordon's duties as Minister of Immigration may appear comparatively light at the present time when there is no movement of people on a large scale to the country. That is a condition, however, that is only a temporary one. Mr. Gordon, like Mr. Rhodes, and the Ministers who preceded them to this province, is informing himself on conditions here, particularly in the endeavor to ascertain what type of settlers is wanted and can be absorbed. Here, as elsewhere, the impression has grown to certainty that selective immigration is the policy which should be determined upon for the upbuilding of the population of the country. It is a plan of this character which, we are persuaded, the Federal Government will devise for the future. Mr. Gordon, in the meantime, is sounding the extent of the co-operation that may be obtained from the various Provincial Government in the event of an immigration policy of the selective order being decided upon when economic conditions show more substantial signs of prosperity.

Mr. Murphy, the third Minister here, is a man who has fought his way to recognition by forcefulness of character coupled with excellent ability. He is a likeable personality and without a doubt will prove his title to Cabinet rank. One of his aims during his present visit is to discuss with the Provincial Government the proposed sites of the two national parks which the Dominion Government is willing to establish in British Columbia. He is also concerning himself with the affairs of the Indians, and in this connection one development planned is the improvement of school facilities.

It is not often that Victoria entertains three Cabinet Ministers at the same time. It can be said of the representatives of the Bennett Government that they are not allowing the grass to grow under their feet in their desire to improve their knowledge of different problems throughout the Dominion.

GREAT BRITAIN'S WHEAT PRODUCT

Quota and import boards have been suggested by the Ramsay MacDonald Government with the specific intention of bolstering up the wheat industry of Great Britain. Incidentally, of course, such boards might prove of benefit to the rest of the Empire, but there is indefiniteness about the proposal and it is small wonder that no decision was reached. From the British standpoint it is not clear that much would be gained by a quota system in fostering what is a dying industry. Wheat production in Great Britain is declining, as is pointed out in succinct fashion by Major H. L. Nathan in The Nation and Athenaum. He says:

"The land under wheat in England and Wales is now only 1,340,000 acres. By 1931 it will be around the million mark. Even before the war acreage had been declining. In 1913 it was 1,701,000 acres; in 1923, after the abnormal period from 1914 to 1922, it again reached this level, being 1,740,000 acres, and has continued to decrease ever since. The value of the wheat crop in 1925-1926 was £12,070,000, while the value of all farm produce sold off the farms, etc., was £224,100,000. Wheat thus formed 5.4 per cent of the total. Among farm crops the lowly potato was almost equal in value to wheat. The fact is that wheat plays a very minor part in the agricultural budget; according to the estimate made, wheat contributed a mere 4.3 per cent, and probably even less of the total value of the agricultural output in 1929-1930."

CAPITALIZING GOLF GENIUS

Much of the glamour that invests Mr. Robert Tyre Jones as the world's greatest golfer and as one of the good fellows of sport will disappear with his decision to use his golfing knowledge to make money out of picture roles. The whole spirit of amateur sport is that it should not be utilized in any way for monetary gain. Wherein it is, amateurism disappears. No casuistry on the part of official bodies or the admirers of Jones can alter the fact that once he has made money out of his golfing knowledge he ceases to be an amateur. Jones himself realizes this, and, in conjunction with his latest decision, says his days in competition are over.

Jones performed the greatest effort in golf ever achieved by winning the world's four major championships. He did more, because he captured the imagination of all sportsmen by his unassuming manners and his methods. The fact that he will no longer take part in competitive play robs championship tournaments of a supreme interest in an individuality who has been recognized as a super-player. Jones' decision was wholly unanticipated. It will benefit him largely in a monetary sense, but throughout all ranks of amateur sport it will be learned of with feelings of regret.

NEWFOUNDLAND FINANCES

We are traveling the same road as Australia has traveled, and pretty soon, unless we change our methods, we, too, shall find a British financier imparting to us the same home truths it was necessary to tell Australia. Year after year we are continuing expenditures far beyond our means. Year after year the cost of government is increasing, and no effort whatever is made to place the country's finances on a sound basis. At the last session the Minister of Finance presented what he termed a balanced budget, but one manufactured for political exigencies. According to current report, some of the departments have already spent their allocations for the current fiscal year, and for the next eight months must continue on borrowed money or else withhold payment of their accounts, as was done last year. It is said also that the Government has already raised a temporary loan of a million dollars, and that when the House meets it will be necessary to make provision for a further loan of five millions. This cannot continue. Sooner or later we shall have to do as Australia is doing, face the facts and subject ourselves to rigid economy. The experience may not be a pleasant one to anticipate, but it is the only way out of our financial difficulties. The alternative would be to default in our interest payments, and that is unthinkable, for it would ruin our reputation for ever.—St. John's Daily News.

When the winds of yesterday pass to the valley of forgotten things, so, too, earth's sorrows should go down, gliding away, upon night's velvet winds.—From the Chinese.

If wisdom were conferred with this proviso, that I must keep it to myself and not communicate it to others, I would have none of it.—Seneca.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 8 p.m., November 22, 1930.

SYNOPSIS

The barometer is falling on the Northern Coast, and fair, mild weather is general on the Pacific Slope. High chinook winds are causing abnormally high temperatures in the Prairies.

PRECIPITATION AND TEMPERATURES

	Rain	Min.	Max.
Victoria	--	41	45
Nanaimo	--	41	43
Vancouver	--	34	44
Kamloops	--	34	36
Prince George	--	34	50
Estevan Point	--	40	48
Prince Rupert	.24	46	46
Dawson	--	12	18
Seattle	--	44	46
Portland	--	42	50
San Francisco	--	60	68
Spokane	--	32	36
Los Angeles	--	58	62
Penticton	--	33	42
Vernon	--	36	36
Grand Forks	--	26	33
Nelson	--	28	33
Kaslo	--	28	34
Calgary	--	36	52
Edmonton	--	40	60
Swift Current	--	26	44
Prince Albert	--	30	46
Qu'Appelle	--	24	46
Winnipeg	--	34	38
Saskatoon	--	17	--

SATURDAY

Maximum	45
Minimum	41
Average	43
Minimum on the grass	39

General state of the weather, cloudy.

5 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 30.67; wind, N., 10 miles; cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.64; wind, W., 4 miles; fair.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.68; wind, N.E., 4 miles; cloudy.

Prince George—Barometer, 30.58; calm; clear.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.22; calm; fair.

Estevan Point—Barometer, 30.64; wind, N.W., 12 miles; fair.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 30.58; wind, E., 34 miles; clear.

Portland—Barometer, 30.56; wind, E., 4 miles; cloudy.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.66; wind, N., 10 miles; cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.16; wind, N., 12 miles; fair.

Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

For Romans in Rome's quarrels
Spared neither hand nor sword.
Nor limb, nor life, nor son, nor wife,
In the brave days of old.
—Macaulay.

These are times that try men's souls.
—Paine.

Mussolini may be as great a braggart as D'Artagnan, but he has had the daring to do something none of his contemporaries has dared to do. Italy, like all the other nations, is suffering from the current depression in business. Trade is bad and the revenues of the country have fallen below the expenditures. So the bold dictator who sits upon the seat of the Caesars has grasped the bull by the horns, not by the tail, as nearly all democratic statesmen are doing; he has reduced his own salary and the salaries of all Government servants, and has told the general public that they must cut down their expenses and live more frugally. Everything in Italy, like everything everywhere else, has been inflated in value almost to the bursting point. To prevent an explosion which might be disastrous, the dictator has opened the valves for the purpose of releasing some of the gas.

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The distinction between the bold and drastic system of Mussolini and the democratic system of other nations is that the dictator, instead of piling tax upon tax and increasing the burdens of the people, in the vain hope of effecting an equilibrium between expenditures and revenues, is reducing taxes for the purpose of creating a balance in the national accounts. He has told the people that instead of appealing to the Government to help them out of their difficulties they must help themselves and the Government will do what it can to help them. Mussolini the dictator is a practical man. He does not believe that a nation is so fatuous or so imbecile in its credulity as the mythical individual who believed he could raise himself from the ground by pulling upon his bootstraps.

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There are persons and institutions in Canada who seem to believe that the Government has in its medicine chest a sovereign cure for all the ills they have brought upon themselves. Those persons assume that governments can change the courses of economic laws as Joshua stayed the course of natural laws when he commanded the sun to stand still until the hosts of the Chosen People had accomplished the annihilation of their enemies. Those self-deluded individuals seem to believe that the Government should play the part of the strips put upon the hulls of boats to "stabilize" them when ploughing through troubled waters. But governments in these latter days are not endowed with miraculous powers. Possibly they can do something to help the people to tide over temporary difficulties, but the future of the industries in any country must remain in the hands of the people who administer the affairs of the industries.

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Te people of Canada are not the only people in the world who are afflicted with the delusion that what they cannot do for themselves governments can do for them. The people of the United States are just as simple in their childlike faith as the people of Canada—and the people of Great Britain are even simpler. The grain growers of Canada have asked the Government to do something that will "stabilize" the price of wheat at a minimum figure. If the Government of Canada attempted to do any such thing as that, it would undertake a more costly experiment than the Wheat Pool undertook when it formed what it modestly termed an orderly system of marketing wheat, which developed into a system of withholding wheat from the market and has developed into a disorderly system of dumping wheat upon a demoralized market.

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The Government of the United States, under pressure from the farmers, has spent millions of dollars in buying wheat at prices far above the market quotations, and the wheat it has upon its hands it does not know how to dispose of without further demoralizing the market. The problem of the farmers of the United States has not been solved by the action of the Government. That problem has not even been transferred from the hands of the farmers to the hands of the Government. The farmers are no better off than they were before, and the Government still has the problem on its hands.

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Whether the surplus wheat be fed to cattle in the United States, or fed free to the starving millions of China, as has further been suggested, the attempt to circumvent a natural law will prove very costly to the taxpayers of the United States, who in the end will have to pay the bill. The United States Government, with its treasure chests overflowing with gold and its tremendous annual revenue, can afford such an experiment, but can the Government of Canada, which has no money on its hands it does not know what to do with, afford such a hazardous experiment? If the grain-growing industry is to be subsidized in its extremity, there are branches of the agricultural industry in British Columbia, and probably in other parts of the country, too, which could make corresponding claims upon the Government. Both the powers and the resources of governments are limited. Governments can do something to protect and to stimulate the home markets, but, except by entering into preferential trade agreements, they cannot provide against the vicissitudes of foreign markets.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist of November 23, 1880)

The weather continues bright at day and cool at night. The frost yesterday morning was fourteen degrees below the freezing point.

A private telegram received here yesterday afternoon states that the upriver steamer had not arrived at New Westminster with cattle for this market, and the Princess Louise was detained in consequence.

Mayor Turner entertained the City Council and corporation officers at his residence last evening. The mere mention of the fact is sufficient proof that the company present was most heartily received and passed several most enjoyable hours.

Findlay, Durham & Brodie are loading in London a smart A1 vessel, to sail for this port before the end of the year, and she will afford a good opportunity to shippers of fine goods who can dispatch their orders during the current month. Orders for coarse or heavy goods destined to be shipped by this vessel should be transmitted by cable at once.

How B.C. Joined Canada

Story of Confederation as Told by The Colonist, Which Championed the Cause of Union

By NINA NAPIER, M.A.

PART XXVIII

Question of Union and Hudson's Bay Company's Rights Interest Great Britain

WITH the official dispatch from Lord Monck before the Colonial Secretary, and the matter of the Hudson's Bay Company's rights before the British Parliament, the question of British Columbia's admission into the Dominion was assuming an importance in Great Britain it had not enjoyed before. Up to that time the future of the Western colony had been regarded generally as a question in which Britain had little or no commercial or pecuniary interest. Now it was beginning to be associated with the attractive issues it raised; the opening of the fertile prairie lands and the establishment, through British Columbia, of a more direct and shorter route to China and Japan. There was no doubt, therefore, of the progress and final triumph of the scheme of Confederation, when it was associated with British commerce, and regarded in all quarters as a national necessity rather than a colonial advantage.

That the British and Canadian Governments were not likely to let the matter drop was realized in British Columbia. The Secretary of State for the Colonies had written to the Governor-General of Canada, "Confederation is the policy of the Empire," and there were constant proofs of the determination of Great Britain to carry out this policy. It became necessary, then, to consider what would be the consequences if Confederation were thrust upon the colony as an Imperial proposition before it was expected.

What would the situation be, asked The British Colonist, if Great Britain acted upon the recommendations of the Canadian Privy Council? Governor Seymour would be instructed to have Confederation sanctioned by the British Columbia Legislature. Since that body was not representative, this would mean that the people would have no voice in the decision of a matter vitally affecting their future. It was possible that the Governor, under such circumstances, would give the people an opportunity of expressing their views, but he himself was not in a position to thwart the wishes of the Home Government by any unnecessary delay. The Colonial Office would not be inclined to be lenient with a Governor who had not carried out its specific instructions with regard to the reduction of the civil list in the establishment of the united colony.

It would be most unsafe, pointed out The Colonist, to leave the question of union with the possibility of its being settled by the existing local government, upon terms which had not received the due consideration of the people. There seemed to be an idea abroad in the colony that, in consequence of the action of the Council and the delay in the final negotiations for the transfer of the Northwest Territory, Confederation must be relinquished for the time being. On the contrary, while there was still time and opportunity, the colonists should give the most earnest consideration to the question in all its bearings.

If the Imperial Government determined to confederate the colony in any event, the people would find themselves as badly off as the Nova Scotians, who were complaining that they had been joined to the Dominion before their conditions had been properly represented.

(To be Continued)

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception.

WORKS OF DEVELOPMENT

Sir,—Platforms are very useful in their way, but to promise little and do much is far the better way. To use every effort to secure justice for Victoria and Vancouver Island is imperative. The wretched treatment received so far in various ways must be shown up in its true light, so that every ratepayer may understand how we have been jilled out of our rights. Victoria should be to the front in all efforts put forth to develop this Island. We are losing our prestige in this important matter, due to our continued apathy.

The following are some of the important questions that need to be pushed vigorously during the next year. One is the lowering of the mill rate. Our taxes are far too high, both from a growth point of view and a rental point of view.

We must continue urging the Dominion Government to make good the overdue Canadian National construction on this Island as per statute made and provided, in this case.

The Mainland portion in the same agreement has been completed long since. The value of this broken promise is $8,500,000, which is due Vancouver Island. To use this amount to parallel the E. & N. Railway (as mentioned in the agreement) would be foolish, but, by diverting this large amount and using it to build West Coast and other Vancouver Island trunk roads would be the proper way to deal with it. Sir Henry Thornton expressed himself as being favorable to such a movement when he was here last. The matter of spanning Seymour Narrows by toll suspension bridges and a toll road to the Mainland by a private company are within our reach and must be pushed until that long cherished work is undertaken.

To make Victoria the grandest airport in Canada can be done and must be dealt with at once. Nature has done her part. The efforts so far put forth are not by any means the best and can be much improved on.

The appointment of an independent parks board to deal with all our parks is important. We have the best material in Canada for a board of that sort. Cleaning up our waterfront must receive attention (reader take a look at the foot of Johnson Street and be convinced). Treating all parts of the city equally in the matter of expenditure, irrespective of that hateful word "pull" that appears to have such undeserved power, is very necessary.

R. T. WILLIAMS.

934 View Street, Victoria, B.C., November 19, 1930.

A MUNICIPAL AIRPORT

Sir,—I see from your columns that the Chamber of Commerce and City Council have received a well-merited snub from our railway heads. The Chamber of Commerce has been asking for it for some time and has nobody's sympathy, while we all regret that our excellent fellow citizen, His Worship the Mayor, should have left himself open. Was it that he did not wish to oppose his council? A councilman who would plant an airdrome within 700 yards of a hospital is past redemption and deserves all that is coming, also any of his colleagues who think likewise.

Is there no vision among our public men? Do they not realize that where there is one plane today, tomorrow it will be a dozen? Our Inner Harbor has always been on the small size; today it's cramped—tomorrow it will be outgrown.

A few days ago I was standing on that excellent view point, the Hudson's Bay Company's roof, watching the Princess Charlotte pull out. A plane swooped down across her bow, to its landing, lots of room granted. Has a plane's engine never been known to stall? Is there no such thing as a fog pocket?

Hats off to the men who can say "no" when all seem to be against them. Does anybody desire another disaster like the Iroquois, or the Hope they brought from Vancouver to run to Sooke? A landing field and sea base are a necessities. The sooner we have them the better, but let safety first be your motto, please.

G. B. LOWRY.

1811 Crescent Road, Victoria, B.C., November 22, 1930.

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HEADS CONSERVATIVES

PRINCE RUPERT, Nov. 22.—D. C. Stuart has been elected president of the Prince Rupert Conservative Association.

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On Wednesday in the Supreme Court the trial in Bessie Keen and William Keen vs. B.C. Electric Railway Company will begin before Mr. Justice Murphy and a special jury. The action is one in which heavy damages are sought by Mrs. Keen and her husband for injuries received by the former, and for which they allege the street railway company should be held responsible.

H. A. Maclean, K.C., appears for the plaintiffs and Heisterman & Tait for the defendant company.

The special jury, which will decide the matters of fact connected with the case under the statutes, consists of eight persons who are selected from a total panel of eighteen, which has been selected from the list of those qualified to serve on the grand jury for the present year.

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FLANDERS FIELDS ARE COVERED WITH WATER

Rail Lines Washed Out and Factory Flooded by Overflowing Rivers —Two Drowned

PARIS, Nov. 22.—Flanders Fields, knee deep in war-churned mud twelve years ago, tonight were covered with waters of overflowing rivers, swollen by days of torrential rains. Crops in the neighboring regions were threatened with enormous damage.

Railway lines have been washed out, a factory was flooded near Charleroi and 5,000 workers had to evacuate the place. Another plant, manufacturing liquid air, was damaged by an explosion when a quantity of chemicals were soaked.

France and Belgium were apprehensive tonight as the rains persisted. The Seine had become a torrential in which barges were sunk and small craft sought shelter. Two barge men drowned. The Loire and the Somme were threatening and smaller streams already had burst their banks.

MOSLEY TO SUPPORT LABORITE IN COMING EAST RENFREW TEST

LONDON, Nov. 22.—Sir Oswald Mosley, who resigned a place in the MacDonald ministry because he considered the Government had failed to tackle the unemployment problem with sufficient vigor, will visit East Renfrew to support the candidacy of Baillie Irwin, a Laborite, who is now frowned upon by the regular Labor party.

James Maxton, left wing leader, and other left wingers also will travel to East Renfrew to champion Irwin's cause.

East Renfrew is one of the Scottish counties. It was won by a narrow majority by A. M. MacRobert, Conservative, at the last election.

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Soup Kitchens For Unemployed In Port Arthur

PORT ARTHUR, Nov. 22.—Soup kitchens for feeding unemployed men in Port Arthur were opened today. Meals will be served at 10 a.m. and 4 p.m., consisting of beef stew, vegetables, coffee and bread. It is expected about 200 men per day will apply.

CALEDONIAN AND ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETIES WILL STAGE CONCERT

St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society will hold its annual concert and dance in the A.O.F. Hall, Cormorant Street, on Friday, November 28. Arrangements have been made to hold the concert and dance in the recently-decorated dance hall, and the committee in charge of the concert programme, under the chairmanship of E. Rigble, has secured a number of noted Victoria artists for the occasion. The concert will commence at 8 o'clock and conclude at 9:30, following which there will be refreshments served by the ladies of the society. Dancing will start at 10 o'clock and continue until 1 o'clock. Pipers Marr and Pollock will lead the dancers.

The following is the concert programme: Pipe selection, Pipers Marr and Pollock; songs, Master James McVie; songs, Master Robert McVie; solo, Miss Nancy Barr; Scotch humor, Mr. Kerr; comedy selections, Mr. Doble; songs of Scotland, Mrs. Mayall; Highland dance, Miss Madge Wallace, accompanied by Piper Cameron; songs, Mr. Fyfee; solos, Miss Marjorie Watson; songs, G. Guy; Scottish comedy, Ernest Rigble. T. Menzies will be chairman, and Mrs. W. Sneddon will be the accompanist. Master of ceremonies for the dancing will be W. Wallace.

Just Roamin' Around

By TWO ROVERS

Caesar's Ghost! I've lost Rover! He left me the other night, as I walked slowly down View Street, coming home from the Shriner's Hall where we went to hear the Schubert Club Concert, conductor Fred King, and it was so very charming a concert that I was in a sort of seventh heaven after such a musical treat; and for a moment, I forgot Rover.

A kind lady, who has the wefare of the Two Rovers at heart, had warned me to get him a licence-to-be-a-dog; she had told me I might lose him; and I have. Oh! cruel fates! "Where, oh! where is my little dog gone?" I should be able to sing that with some feeling now; but it is a debatable fact as to whether I can sing that or anything else, at any time.

I did the only thing I could do. Off I went, the first thing in the morning, when I realized that Rover had not come home, to the Police Station. Chief Fry, in his usual kind and sympathetic way, said: "Go to the pound!" "Where is the pound?" said I, "I've been looking around for a pound for years; and if there's one handy and findable, lead me to it." Being a sterling friend he directed me down Fisgard Street, through Chinatown, to Wharf street; streets much cleaner than I had been led to expect. At the intersection of "Dwarf" Street (it's so crooked) I turned unfortunately to the left instead of to the right, and over a cross-cut, through a "lot" of mud, to a chicken-shippery, where I saw, perched on top of a large pyramid of prehistoric feathers, one lone disconsolate cockerel-of-sorts whose dejected demeanor suggested this interpretation of his rooster-thoughts:

"What's the use? Yesterday—an egg; today—a bed-draggled chick; tomorrow—a featherduster!"

Then, by anything but "sundry" byways, to the city incinerator. Use-full! Dis-use-full! Ref-use-full! Nuf sed!

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At last the Dog Pound stood before me, or rather, I stood before the Dog-pound ever knew I was there.

Closed! xx*$&Xfl! Oh! Hash it! It was still early morning, and a notice on the door read:

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I presume this phone number belongs to the old regime. Therefore I did not pound on the pound door, but, as I stepped away, I heard several plaintive howls and bow-wows, but did not recognize any as belonging to Rover. But then you must remember my head was still ringing with the superbly sung "Charlie Is Me Darlin', Me Darlin', Me Darlin'," with which Marion Copp captured all our hearts the other night.

Back to my "digs" I trudged, and wearily I passed the hours away, thinking of Rover, of Schubert, of "The Cockle Gatherer," knowing that I could do nothing until 3 o'clock; so I spent the time alternately bemoaning Rover's fate, and joyously recalling the harmonious glee singing I heard at the Schubert Club concert.

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Me darlin',
Me darlin',
Oh! Rover is me darlin',
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SEALERS' DELEGATION IS GIVEN INTERVIEW

Minister of Fisheries Declines to Give a Decision on Claims for Compensation

Hon. E. N. Rhodes, Minister of Fisheries, declined yesterday to make any announcement or give any decision regarding the claims of British Columbia sealers for compensation from Government funds. A delegation, consisting of Beaumont Boggs, Claude L. Harrison and Harold Palmer, waited on the minister at the Empress Hotel yesterday morning and presented their case.

The delegation urged the appointment of a commission to consider the claims of the sealers, but on this the minister declined to comment. He did, however, promise every consideration would be given to the request of the delegation, but declined to intimate what policy, if any, would be determined.

Sealing operations were halted some time ago through a treaty between Canada and the United States, and the sealers believe they are entitled to compensation for loss of industry through the curtailment of sealing operations.

Obituary

CORBETT—The funeral for Mrs. Louisa Ellen Corbett, who passed away in this city on November 20, was held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the parlors of the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home. Many friends were present. Rev. Canon A. E. de L. Nunns conducted the service, and interment was made in the Royal Oak Burial Park. The following acted as pallbearers: George Jones, J. Muirhead, Edward Jones, J. M. Findlay, E. M. Groutage, and F. Holmes.

WILSON—The remains of Robert Muirfoot Wilson were laid to rest in Royal Oak Burial Park yesterday afternoon, the funeral taking place from Hayward's Funeral Chapel at 2 o'clock, Rev. Dr. W. G. Wilson officiating. The hymns sung were "Jesu, Lover of My Soul," and "Nearer, My God, to Thee." H. Pearson attended to represent Britannia Branch of the Canadian Legion. The following officiated as pallbearers: D. Randall, F. C. Shade, A. McKiernon, T. McDonald, J. A. Craigmyle and J. G. Johnston.

MAPLE LEAF BODY TO BE FORMED THIS WEEK

A public meeting will be held in the Sons of Canada Hall, View Street, on Friday evening next, for the purpose of forming a branch of the Maple Leaf Association, of Vancouver, which organization is operating under a charter granted in August last.

The Maple Leaf Association has already enrolled a large membership and the meeting to be called on Friday will nominate permanent officers and plan a campaign such as will take in the whole of Vancouver Island.

Members of all public service organizations are being invited to attend this meeting, and all patriotic societies and individuals are asked to co-operate. Harry Langley has been appointed secretary pro tem of the organization, with offices at 421 Central Building.

GENERAL REED IS DEAD

SAN JUAN, Porto Rico, Nov. 22.—Brig.-Gen. Henry A. Reed, U.S.A., eighty-six, retired, died here today.

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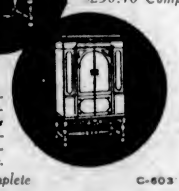

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She sat despondently for a time, and then was struck by a bright idea. She exclaimed in a loud voice, "Who wants a clean plate?"

HON J. L. PERRON IS BURIED AT MONTREAL

Thousands Pay Last Tribute to Former Minister of Agriculture in Quebec Cabinet

MONTREAL, Nov. 22.—Attended by thousands of persons from all walks of life, the funeral of Hon. J. L. Perron, Quebec Minister of Agriculture, took place today.

As the cortege passed through the streets from the Perron residence on Pine Avenue to the Basilica, a distance of about three-quarters of a mile, thousands stood with bowed heads, paying a last tribute to the dead politician and financier.

The service at the Basilica, which was filled to capacity, was conducted by Archbishop Gauthier, of Montreal.

In the procession were to be seen political friends and foes, united in a common sentiment of affection. Cabinet ministers of Ottawa, political opponents, walked side by side with provincial ministers. Members of the same party, members of the Dominion and Provincial Parliaments, his late business partners and admirers, and many who wished to thus recognize the kindnesses received at his hands or to pay their tribute to the doughty political fighter, were present.

Sir Basil Zaharhoff, the "mystery man" of Europe, has destroyed in Paris the fifty-five diaries he kept containing the details of his activities in the making and unmaking of governments in the last few years.

SERVICE CLUBS TO HOLD JOINT LUNCH MEETING

Big Gathering Will Hear Address by Member of British Debating Team

CANADIAN CLUB WILL HEAR J. RIDINGTON

Of particular interest to members of the service clubs of Victoria this week will be the massed gathering of Rotarians, Kiwanians, Gyros, Kinsmen and Business and Professional Women, for a joint luncheon at the Empress Hotel on Wednesday at 1:10 p.m.

The guests of honor will be the visiting debaters from Great Britain, who will compete with the Victoria team in the Chamber of Commerce on Wednesday evening. The luncheon is expected to form one of the largest club gatherings which has been seen in Victoria for a long time, and was made possible through the work of the Service Clubs' Council in this city. One of the visitors will address the meeting.

CANADIAN CLUB

John Ridington, librarian at the University of British Columbia, will address a luncheon meeting of the Canadian Club, which will take place tomorrow.

Mr. Ridington's subject will be "Some Canadian Library Problems," and it is expected that his address will prove to be of unusual interest. The same speaker will give an illustrated lecture later in the week to the Canadian Field Naturalists' Club at Duncan.

The Victoria Group of Toc H will meet at its headquarters at 521 Bastion Street at 8 p.m. on Thursday.

TO RUN FOR SEAT IN WARD SEVEN SAANICH

F. S. Rogers Will Contest Position at Forthcoming Municipal Election

F. S. Rogers, of 175 Sims Avenue, has expressed his intention of entering the field as councillor for Ward Seven in the forthcoming Saanich municipal election.

Mr. Rogers, who has been a resident of Saanich for the past eighteen years, has always taken a keen interest in municipal affairs and is vice-president of the Ward Seven Ratepayers' Association. Some years ago he was president of the Tolmie Parent-Teachers' Association.

THOUSAND BATTLE FIRE IN CALIFORNIA FOREST

SAN BERNARDINO, Cal., Nov. 22.—Winds of gale force were battled by 1,000 fire fighters as they attempted to stem a brush fire in Waterman Canyon, San Bernardino Mountains, today. One man, a fire dispatch rider, was killed when knocked off his motorcycle by an automobile.

The fire broke out shortly after midnight, and in two hours had flashed through 1,000 acres of brush-covered water sheds. It threatened to sweep into valuable timber stands in the deep canyons.

SAANICH SOCIAL

Ward Eight Saanich Conservatives will hold a dance and social on Thursday next in St. Martin's Hall, Obed Avenue (off Tillicum Road), at 8 o'clock. An orchestra will be in attendance and provision will be made for those who prefer to play cards rather than dance.

City & District

Sign Nomination — The nomination papers of Miss Kate Fraser, who is seeking election to the City Council, have been completed. Miss Fraser is nominated by Mrs. R. Smith, 1205 Fernwood Road, and seconded by Mrs. G. E. Scott, 1472 Fort Street.

Trips Over Cable — When she tripped over a cable and fell yesterday afternoon, Mrs. Thomson, age seventy-four, of James Bay Court, sustained a fracture of the right arm. Taken to St. Joseph's Hospital, the woman was attended there by Dr. Stuart Kenning.

New Publicity Book — "Tabloid Travel Talks" is the title of a most artistically arranged, well written and interesting little booklet on British Columbia just issued by the Provincial Bureau of Information. It is well illustrated and gives an excellent idea of the many scenic attractions of the province. The booklet also includes road maps of the highways of British Columbia.

Burglars Active—Two burglaries committed Friday night, were reported to the police yesterday morning. W. & J. Wilson, men's clothiers, Government Street, had their store entered by a trapdoor in the alley which led into the basement, and underwear, socks and handkerchiefs stolen. Hoyle-Brown, wholesalers, 1206 Wharf Street, reported to the police that their office had been ransacked and a small amount of cash taken from the till. Chocolates and cigarettes were also stolen.

Addresses University Women — The University Women's Club met last night at the Y.W.C.A., when the speaker was Mr. Studdert-Kennedy, of the High School faculty, who by special request repeated the very fascinating address which he recently gave on the life and works of his brother, the late Geoffrey Studdert-Kennedy, chaplain to the forces during the war, and well known to the world through his poetry and other writings. The discourse was a splendid tribute to the character of a man who had endeared himself to his associates by his great moral as well as physical courage and his deep sense of sympathy. Miss Nan Eaton, vice-president of the club, occupied the chair in the unavoidable absence of the president, Mrs. P. Barr, and tendered the sincere thanks of the members and specially invited friends. Before the gathering dispersed refreshments were served.

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The Winning Numbers at the Eagles' carnival were as follows: 10338 A-PO, 782 A-SH, 550 A-WW, 21808 A-EV, 5484 A-SH, 2672 A-PO, 9474 B-TA, 83 A-MO, 6972 A-AN, 16513 B-TA, 2360 A-AN, 7621 A-AN, 7525 B-TA, 6146 B-TA, 780 A-NB, 3287 A-YA, 2764 A-CA.

Victoria Conservative Association, bridge party, club rooms, Campbell Building, Wednesday, November 26, 8 o'clock, 50c. Players bring own cards and score cards. Refreshments, good prizes. For reservations phone E 9788, E 9035, E 5778, E 1587.

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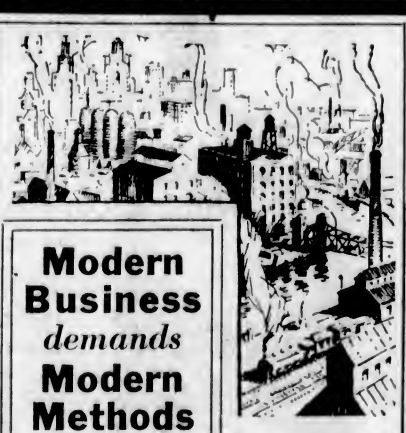

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Society and Women's Affairs

Clubs and Societies

I.O.O.F. SOCIAL EVENING

Members of Victoria Lodge No. 1, I.O.O.F., will hold their monthly social night in the headquarters on Douglas Street tomorrow. An invitation is extended to all visitors, and the committee in charge of the programme has arranged for an interesting evening.

Diocesan W.A.

Mrs. C. D. Schofield addressed the monthly meeting of the Diocesan Board W.A. on Friday evening at St. Mary's Hall. Mrs. J. T. Dickson, the president, was in the chair, and seventy-two members were present. A standing vote of sympathy was expressed in the passing away of Mrs. Willoughby Cumming, for many years editor of The Living Message. There was also a vote of regret to Mrs. Colin Cummins, who recently met with an accident. In her address, Mrs. Schofield told of the many interesting persons and places she had visited in her recent travels, and spoke of the great hospitality shown to the wives of all Canadian bishops by Mrs. Woods, wife of the Bishop of Winchester, and of many interesting places in England, Scotland and on the Continent. A vote of thanks was passed to Mrs. Schofield at the close of her talk. Mrs. Christie, the Dercas secretary, asked that donations for the Christmas bales be sent to her not later than December 1. Deaconess Robinson asked for donations of Christmas cards for the Sunday school by post. It was announced that the Bishop of Honan will visit Victoria on December 9. Mr. C. E. Quainton will give a lecture in the Memorial Hall on Friday on "Women of History."

Cowichan Station W.A.

The annual meeting of St. Andrew's W.A. was held on Friday at "Woodlands," the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. May. The following officers were elected: Honorary president, Mrs. H. A. Collison; president, Mrs. E. F. Musgrave; vice-president, Mrs. Barclay Hunton; secretary, Mrs. A. Stannard; treasurer, Mrs. I. O. Averill; United Thank Offering secretary, Mrs. C. W. Cole; Extra Cent-a-Day secretary, Mrs. L. C. Knocker; literature, Mrs. H. D. Fox; Living Message, Miss Bolster; Joint Dorcas, Mrs. J. Stewart and Mrs. G. H. Fleetwood. Ven. Archdeacon Collison spoke on the work of the W.A. and of the Lambeth Conference. Many donations were received for the Christmas hampers for the Columbia Coast Mission.

Daughters of Covenant

A bridge and whist drive will be held by the Daughters of the Covenant, under the convenership of Mrs. F. F. Osborn, at the Shrine Hall on December 3 at 8 o'clock. The proceeds will be in aid of the Shrine Unit at the Queen Alexandra Solarium. Reservations may be made by telephoning Garden 5258, Garden 1448, Garden 3967, or Empire 3443. Players are asked to bring their own cards and score cards.

Chemainus W.B.A.

The Women's Benefit Association, Review No. 19, gave a most delightful get-together entertainment recently. Prizewinners for the whist were Mrs. Nicholl, Mrs. Turner, Mr. Hallberg and Mr. Nicholls. The W.B.A. Orchestra, composed of Mrs. Murray, Mrs. George Neal and Miss Vera Anderson, furnished music for the dance, and Mr. C. Baker acted as floor manager. Refreshments, convened by Mrs. Olive Work, were served during the evening.

T.V.A. Auxiliary

The monthly meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to the Tuberculous Veterans' Association will be held Wednesday, at 2:30 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. J. Smirl, 3354 Harriet Road.

Guest Artist on Friday

VEONA Socolofsky, who will sing at the Victoria Male Choir's concert at the Shrine Auditorium. Mme. Socolofsky has frequently been heard over KOMO, but her personality on the concert platform adds charm to her singing.

Sir M. B. Begbie Chapter

The monthly meeting of the Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie Chapter, I.O.D.E., was held at the home of Mrs. J. E. Flack, Monterey Avenue, on Friday. In addition to routine business the chapter voted $10 towards the Christmas hampers. Mrs. H. Hamlet gave an interesting talk on her recent visit to England. The next meeting of the chapter will be held on January 16, there being no meeting in December.

Typographical W.A.

Under the auspices of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Typographical Union No. 65, a silver tea in aid of Christmas cheer will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. Neelands, 821 Craigflower Road, on Thursday afternoon, from 2:30 o'clock. A splendid programme has been arranged, and it is hoped that all members, printers' wives and friends will make a special effort to attend.

Fellowship Club

A card party will be held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Christian Siverts, 1278 Denman Street, on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock, under the auspices of the Fellowship Club, for the benefit of the two wards of aged and infirm patients in the Royal Jubilee Hospital. There will be good prizes and refreshments served at the close.

James Bay W.A.

The Ladies' Aid of James Bay United Church held a successful shower at the home of Mrs. E. H. Baker, on Wednesday, for the bazaar. Mrs. Norman Baker tendered two solos and Miss A. Nixon gave some recitations.

Mothers' Union

At a recent meeting of the Mothers' Union, a gramophone record of the address of Mrs. Bonstead at the London conference of the union was played, the gramophone being kindly loaned for the occasion by Fletcher Brothers.

M.B. Robertson Chapter

The regular meeting of the Margaret Rocke Robertson Chapter, I.O.D.E., will be held tomorrow at 4 p.m., in the municipal headquarters, Union Building.

Municipal Chapter

Municipal Chapter, I.O.D.E., will meet on Thursday at 2 o'clock at headquarters, Union Building, View Street.

Library Notes

Victorians responsible for interesting new book telling of early explorer's journeys.

One of the most interesting books received within the past few weeks at the Victoria Public Library is the account of the third voyage of Captain Cook round the world, 1776 to 1780, by Henry Zimmermann, of Wissioch, in the Palatine, which has been translated from the German of the old Mannheim edition of 1781 by Elsa Michaelis and Cecil French, of Victoria. His Honor Judge F. W. Howay has edited the book, which has just come from the publishers of the Canadian history series. It is in a limited edition and the presswork is exceptionally beautiful. The original Mannheim edition was brought back from Europe by Mr. French and has been purchased by the Provincial Archives.

Other new books are "The Real War," by Liddell Hart, a celebrated English writer; "The Grand Hotel," by Vicki Baum, a translation from the German and something very modern among books; Lord Balfour's book, "Retrospect"; Lord Northcliffe's, "My Early Life"; the biography of Winston Churchill written by Hamilton Fyfe; "Modern English Playwrights," by John W. Cunliffe; a new book by A. P. Graves, "To Return to All That," which comes as an answer to "Good-Bye to All That," written by his son, Robert Graves.

There is also a complete collection of the poems of Isabel Eccleston Mackay, late of Vancouver, and Woodstock, Ontario.

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Hostesses at Tea

Misses Frances, Jean and Gretchen Johnson were hostesses at a delightful tea yesterday afternoon at their home on Linden Avenue. The tea table, which was arranged with a beautiful bowl of bronze single chrysanthemums and fern, and tall green lighted candles was presided over by Mrs. J. M. Mercer and Mrs. Harold Bray. The invited guests were: Mrs. Ronald Kingham, Mrs. Denis Hagar, Mrs. M. Merston, Mrs. Peter Bell and Misses D. Allen, M. Adam, B. Bapty, E. Bonavia, M. Bullock-Webster, Isabelle and Margery Benson, K. Brown, Jean and Helen Campbell, P. Carmichael, C. and A. Code, H. Colpman, H. Cranford, P. Ditchburn, E. and M. Dinsdale, D. Elford, D and G. Elliott, Nan Eve, J. Findlay, R. Fleming, S. Fraser, E. and M. Galliher, P. Gourlay, D. Geake, M. and E. Green, K. Hall, K. and M. Haynes, I. Hedley, W. and E. Henderson, G. Hill, M. Hunter, G. Humber, D. Langdon, F. Lamb, M. Martin, G. Matthews, D. Mercer, J. Mearns, C. and J. Moody, G. McDonald, J. McKenna, C. McMullin, B. McMullin, J. MacLachlan, G. McIntosh, J. Pearce, M. Philipsen, P. Pressy, B. Penzer, D. and P. Rines, M. Ross, N. Ross, I. Routledge, B. Savannah, M. Sehl, V. Shandley, K. and H. Smith, J. Spurgin, O. Sturrock, K. and D. Swayne, N. Taylor, Mollie and Marjorie Thomas, M. Thompson, E. Watts and G. Watkins, F. Whitney, L. Wilkerson, P. Winslow, L. and P. Woodward, G. Wood and D. Woollson.

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Entertains at Tea

Miss Helen Harris entertained a large number of her friends at tea yesterday afternoon at her home on Fort Street, in honor of Miss Patricia Burden, who will leave shortly to live in England. The tea table, centred with a large bowl of white chrysanthemums and boxwood and long green tapers, was presided over by Miss Yvonne de Bretigny and Miss Sarah Nixon. Miss Patricia Brown, Miss Rosalind Young, Miss Muriel Davenport, Miss Miriam Biggin assisted in serving. Among those present were: Misses Frances Gibbs, Molly Davis, Betty Goldie, Margaret Watson, Peace and Norah Cornwall, Gladys Davies, Arrie Branfook, Zelma Purdy, Patricia Copeland, Eileen Regan, Frances Biggin, Mary Lease, Rosalind Willis, Joyce Adam, Molly Sharp, Velma Anderson, Beverley Grant, Peggy Frank, Hazel Jack, Barbara Player, Sue McKenzie, Beverley Valo, Florence Hayward, Isabel Marian, Lila McCaw, Audrey Kinsman, Peggy Parsons, Jean Duncan, Mary Gurwood, Maxine Ewart, Pat Ryan, Nell Muirhead, Pat McConnan, Millie MacFarlane, Eileen Cullum, Mary Roes and Margaret Little.

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Evening Party

A pleasant evening party was enjoyed on Friday at 140 Beach Drive, when the hostess, Mrs. H. Jones, received a large number of guests, assisted by Mrs. A. J. Protheroe and Mrs. W. Gurney. The rooms were beautifully decorated with bronze chrysanthemums by Miss Cooke and Miss Gwynneth Protheroe. Among the guests contributing to the evening's enjoyment with musical numbers were Mrs. W. Jones, Mrs. W. C. Williams, Mrs. H. Horne, Mrs. Mason, Misses Doris Rawlings, Peggy Horne, Phyllis Jesse, Mabel Marshall, Joan Chipper, Augusta Marshall, Elise Le-Gresley and Mr. Chris Miller. Other invited guests included Mr. and Mrs. R. Jesse, Mr. and Mrs. H. Jesse, Mr. and Mrs. Protheroe, Mr. and Mrs. Gurney, Mrs. Gunter, Mrs. Rawlings, Mr. and Mrs. Chipper, Mrs. Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. Le Gresley, Mr. W. C. Williams, Mr. W. Jones, Mr. Mason, Misses Claudia Jesse, Lorraine Jesse, Jean Protheroe, Messrs. W. Marshall, E. Chipper and E. Protheroe. During the evening refreshments were served by Mrs. Gurney, Misses Phyllis Jesse and Gwynneth Protheroe.

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Farewell Party

Mr. and Mrs. G. Peacock, Finlayson Avenue, entertained at a farewell party for Mr. and Mrs. Harold Smith, who are leaving the city to make their home in Vancouver. Cards were played and refreshments served by the hostess, after which games and music were enjoyed. Mr. and Mrs. Smith were the recipients of two pretty gifts of remembrance from the friends present and several songs were sung in their honor. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. Entwhistle, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. George, Mr. and Mrs. E. Gough, Mr. and Mrs. C. Gray, Mr. and Mrs. J. Nott, Mr. and Mrs. C. Parrott, Mr. and Mrs. V. Rolfe, Mr. and Mrs. L. Schmeis, Mr. and Mrs. T. Scoular and Mr. and Mrs. W. Yule.

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Entertains Club

Mr. and Mrs. H. Smith entertained members of the Harmony Social Club on Friday at their home, 3309 Quadra Street. A pleasant evening was spent in cards and music. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. F. Cooke, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Fea, Mr. and Mrs. R. Elwood, Mr. and Mrs. G. Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. H. Woolston, Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Beaven, Mr. and Mrs. G. Campbell, Mesdames C. H. Coldwell, C. Fea, M. Parks, S. J. Rumball, C. Taylor, W. Rennie, Misses A. Yates, E. Bragg, D. Coldwell, Messrs. A. Fea, L. Jeeves, W. T. Parke, C. Coldwell and others.

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Tomorrow's Dramalogue

Those taking part in tomorrow afternoon's dramalogue ("Badger's Green," by R. C. Sheriff, the author of "Journey's End"), will be as follows: Mr. Frank Richardson, Captain Thorpe-Doubble, R.N., Mr. Percy A. Crump, Mr. H. T. Laundy, Mr. P. R. Brown Mr. Jack Parker, Mrs. Storey Waller, Mrs. Phyllis Armbrister, Miss Peggy Frank and Miss Muriel C. Thompson. The reading will take place at the Empress Hotel, and Major L. Bullock-Webster will be the diseur.

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Bridge Party Given

Mrs. J. C. Dunbar entertained at a bridge tea on Friday afternoon, at Brenta Lodge, in honor of Mrs. J. Buchanan, Miss Rose Riddle and Miss Margot Blaylock, of Trail. The other guests included Mrs. Harrie Currie, Mrs. R. L. Phillips, Mrs. C. E. Morris, Mrs. E. McLeod and Mrs. W. A. Patterson.

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Dance at Barracks

The senior naval officer and officers of the West Coast entertained the members of the Seattle Squash Club team at dinner last evening following the tournament. A delightful dance was held at the barracks later in the evening, about forty guests being present.

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Leave for South

Mr. C. E. Barnsdale, accompanied by Miss Leonard Fewson and Miss Renee Fewson, yesterday morning left for Port Angeles, from where they will motor south to Sacramento and other points for a short holiday.

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Receives Appointment

The friends of Mrs. F. Bryan, Davida Avenue, will be interested to hear of the appointment of her brother, Dr. C. Leonard Huskins, to the Department of Spscial Research Work in Genetics at McGill University.

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At Osborne Court

Mrs. Dowson Lang, of Southsea, Eng.; Miss H. Jarvis, of Qualicum Beach; Messrs. D. A. McDougal, of Victoria, and Frank Shirley, of North Vancouver, are guests at Osborne Court, McClure Street.

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From Washington

Mr. T. C. Elliott was a visitor in the city during the week from Walla Walla, Washington. Mr. Elliott was the guest while here of Mr. and Mrs. G. S. McTavish, Lampson Street.

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Here From England

Mrs. G. Puleston Clarke and her sons, Harry, George and John, arrived from England yesterday and are visiting Mrs. W. W. Wilson, Esquimalt Road.

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Visiting Here

Mr. Brian Luff has arrived from India and is spending a short time here on his way to Peru. He is the guest of Captain and Mrs. W. C. Merston.

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Dinner Host

Mr. K. W. Symons, of 1231 Victoria Avenue, entertained a few friends at dinner last evening, the party later attending the supper dance at the Empress Hotel.

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Goes Up-Island

Miss C. Hall, who has been the guest of Mrs. Henry Heisterman, Oak Bay Avenue, has left for Westholme, where she will visit Mrs. Arthur Coles.

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Attended Ball

Chief and Mrs. John Cameron, of New Westminster, came over to attend the police ball, which was held on Friday evening.

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On Visit

Mrs. Gerald Sanford, of Duncan, is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. A. Montizambert, Yale Street.

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Leaving for Vancouver

Mr. Edgar Woods, of the staff of the Dominion Bank, transferred to the Vancouver branch, is leaving Victoria on Tuesday night.

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From Up-Island

General and Mrs. Money, of Qualicum Beach, are visitors in the city and are guests at the Empress Hotel.

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From Moose Jaw

General Tuxford, of Moose Jaw, who has spent previous Winters in Victoria, is again in the city to spend the Winter.

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Leaves for Calgary

Mrs. Muriel, of Victoria, has left for Calgary to visit her daughter, Mrs. G. H. Nettleton.

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Victorian in East

Major Gus Lyons is in London, Ontario, visiting his parents.

BARN DANCE

A barn dance was held at the K. of P. Hall on Thursday by the Day Savers' Club, New Method Laundries, Limited. Dancing commenced at 9 o'clock.

Mrs. G. P. Clarke, whose husband, the late Eng.-Commander Clarke, was attached to the Esquimalt station for some years, returned from England yesterday, accompanied by her three young sons, and for the present is staying with Mrs. W. W. Wilson, Esquimalt Road.

Attractive Victoria Child

This Bonny Little Girl Is Eileen, the Little Daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Hugh Clarke, of 3320 Oak Street. She Has Just Celebrated Her Third Birthday.

A.Y.P.A. Bridge Drive

COURTENAY, Nov. 22. — The Anglican Young People's Association bridge drive was held in the Parish Hall on Thursday night with sixteen tables of players. The prize winners were: Ladies' first, Mrs. Victor Hall; ladies' consolation, Mrs. H. W. Stevens; gentlemen, first, G. W. Stubbs; second, Frank Hurford. Norman Southcote directed the play. Following the card games, refreshments were daintily served and partaken with relish. The tables were then cleared for a delightful dance.

Weddings

PICKUP—FULTON

A quiet wedding took place yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock when Rev. Daniel Walker united in marriage Marguerite Lucy, third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Fulton, of 928 Selkirk Avenue, and Mr. Herbert Pickup, of 131 Niagara Street.

The bride was given in marriage by her father and looked charming in a gown of rosewood georgette and hat to match. She carried a bouquet of Ophelia roses and white carnations.

Miss Nellie Tyre was the only bridesmaid. She wore a frock of blue silk crepe and hat to match and carried a sheaf of pink and white chrysanthemums. Mr. Harold Holroyd supported the groom.

Mr. and Mrs. Pickup left on the Prince David for Seattle and Portland. For traveling the bride chose a dress of powder blue georgette, with sports overcoat with fox fur collar and felt hat to match.

FIDDICK—NEEN

NANAIMO, Nov. 21.—At the First United Church Manse, at high noon yesterday, a pretty wedding took place, when Rev. F. W. Anderson united Hazel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Neen, East Wellington, to Mr. Richard Fiddick, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fiddick, Nicol Street.

The bride was given in marriage by her father and was attended by her sister, Miss Amy Neen. The groom was supported by his brother, Mr. John Fiddick.

At the close of the marriage ceremony the wedding party retired to the home of the bride's parents, where refreshments were served, the happy couple later leaving for the Mainland, where the honeymoon is to be spent.

Upon their return Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fiddick will take up residence in Cedar District.

WOOSTER—KING

A smart wedding took place in Vancouver on Friday at the home of the bride's parents, when Mary Allson, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm B. King, and Mr. Hiram Ferris Wooster, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Wooster, of Laurier Avenue, were united in marriage. Most Rev. the Archbishop A. U. de Pencier officiated in the presence of relatives and a few intimate friends. The bride is well known in Victoria, and is one of the most popular of the younger set in Vancouver. She wore a smart tailleur of beige broadcloth, trimmed with brown galyac, and hat to match, and was attended by Miss Dalton Marpole. Mr. Peter Marshall was best man, and the little ringbearer was the bride's nephew, Malcolm King. After the wedding breakfast, Mr. and Mrs. Wooster left for a trip to Southern California and will make their home in Vancouver.

Engagements

HEMPHILL—ABBOTT

Mr. and Mrs. A. Abbott, 1422 Fernwood Road, announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Eleanor Mary (Ella), of Meridian, California, to Mr. John P. Hemphill, also of Meridian, Cal.

ANNUAL BAZAAR HELD

MOUNT NEWTON, Nov. 22.—The St. Stephen's and St. Mary's Branch of the W.A. held its annual bazaar on Wednesday afternoon in the Orange Hall, Saanichton. The stalls, which did a thriving business, were in charge of the following ladies: Work stall, Mrs. Bissett, Mrs. Greenested and Miss Lyle; candy, Mrs. Wallace and Mrs. Bristowe; surprise stall, Mrs. Mary Wood, Miss Hughes and the Misses Gale; cooking, Mrs. Hodgson, Mrs. Guy and Mrs. King; teas, Mrs. Atkins, Mrs. Spencer, Mrs. Rochon and Miss Guy. The cushion was won by Mrs. L. E. Taylor.

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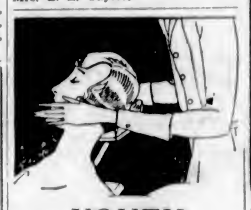
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Women's Clubs and Societies

SOCIAL CLUB

MOUNT NEWTON, Nov. 22.—The usual fortnightly card party, held under the auspices of the Mount Newton Social Club, was held on Wednesday evening. Ten tables were engaged in play, and the prizes went as follows: First, Mrs. Hydes, Miss Gladys Guy, W. Richardson and H. Creed; second, Mrs. Willard Michell, Mrs. St. Louis, W. D. Michell and Mr. St. Louis.

Society News From Vancouver

VANCOUVER, Nov. 22.—An interesting event of the forthcoming week is the reception arranged for Wednesday by Mrs. Daryl H. Kent, when her daughter, Miss Marion Kent, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kent, of Victoria, will make her debut into society.

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Entertaining Today

Mrs. George Black will be a hostess on Sunday at a dinner party. Miss Beatrice Bartram will entertain on Sunday afternoon at the tea hour at her home on Angus Avenue in honor of Mr. Bertram Johnson, who came to this city on Thursday from the East. Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Bull will entertain Sunday afternoon at a tea party in honor of Dr. and Mrs. Haywood.

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Colonel Spencer Entertains

Colonel Victor Spencer was a dinner host on Wednesday evening in honor of two visiting ministers of the Federal Cabinet, Hon. Edgar N. Rhodes and Hon. W. A. Gordon. Guests were Hon. George Black, Speaker of the House of Commons; General J. W. Stewart, Senator Crowe, Mr. Stanley Burke, Mr. Laird Gordon, Mr. Thomas Kirk, M.P.P., Mr. W. Blake Wilson, Mr. Leon Ladner, Mr. Charles Bocking, Colonel J. P. Fell, Colonel John Peter McKenzie, Colonel Thomas A. Hiam, Mr. John Roaf, Mr. George Harrison, Mr. Fyfe Smith, Mr. David Sloan, Mr. Robert Hamilton, Mr. R. W. Brown, Mr. Clarence O'Brien, Mr. Ray Phelps, Mr. W. E. Burns, Dr. Boucher, Mr. Dale Pitt, Mr. Sydney Junkins and Mr. W. Morton.

For Visitor

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In honor of Miss Massey, of Toronto, Mrs. Chaytor Payne entertained at the tea hour on Wednesday.

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Engagement Announced

Mr. J. W. Bancroft, of Steveston, announces the engagement of his daughter, Peggy, to Rev. E. W. P. Carter, of Christ Church Cathedral, Victoria. The wedding will take place on December 5 at St. Anne's Church, Steveston.

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Holds Reception

Mrs. Richard Gosse entertained at a large reception at her home on Marine Drive in honor of Mrs. Rhodes, wife of Hon. Edgar Rhodes, Minister of Fisheries in the Dominion Government. For the occasion, the hostess wore a handsome gown of Lucerne blue chiffon, heavily trimmed with grey fox. Mrs. Rhodes appeared in a smart tailleur of black madiana, with touches of jade green in her jewelry and shade of her hat. Presiding at the tea table were Mrs. Harry Briggs, Mrs. Richard Bell-Irving, Mrs. George Wooster, Mrs. Walter Evans, Mrs. Arthur Ray, Mrs. R. McIntosh and Mrs. William Dichmont. Assisting in serving the guests were Miss Louise Morrison, Miss Fanta Tait, Miss Hilda Reade, Miss Virginia Eaton, Mrs. Alec Swanson, Miss Hereid Hendry, Mrs. Raymond Phelps, Miss Theresa Lefurgey, Miss Jean Faulkner. Another affair arranged for Mrs. Rhodes was a luncheon given by Mrs. George Black, when covers were laid for Mrs. W. H. Malkin, Mrs. Mayne Hamilton, Mrs. A. E. Bull, Mrs. J. Fyfe Smith, Mrs. Leon Ladner, Mrs. George McQuarrie (New Westminster), Mrs. George Trorey and Mrs. Richard Gosse. Mrs. Mayne Daly Hamilton also honored Mrs. Rhodes by entertaining at a dinner on Thursday, following a tea party given by Mrs. Percy Shallcross.

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Luncheon Hostess

Mrs. A. H. McNeill entertained at a luncheon in honor of Mrs. George Black and Mrs. C. D. Macaulay, of the Yukon. Covers were laid for Mrs. C. Balmer McAllister, Mrs. C. G. Pennock, Mrs. Robert C. Boyle, Mrs. R. W. Brock, Mrs. J. J. Banfield, Mrs. F. T. Schooley and Mrs. H. C. Clark.

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Farewell Parties

Mrs. L. P. Pearce, who, with her children, left today to join her husband in Winnipeg, has been the guest of honor at a number of farewell events. On Friday, Mrs. Ernest Helliwell entertained at the tea hour, when the tea table was presided over by Mrs. P. A. Woodward and Mrs. A. P. Anderson. Mrs. Donald Macdonald entertained on Tuesday at a tea, and the following day Mrs. Gordon McLaren was a hostess, also Mrs. John Buchan Rose.

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Returning Home

Mr. T. W. B. London is returning to his home in this city towards the middle of December, having left England, where he has been spending the past few months, and traveling via the Panama Canal.

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Returns Home

Mrs. Arthur Nixon, of Victoria, has returned home after visiting Mrs. George Walkem and also Mrs. C. Balmer McAllister.

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From Chilliwack

Mrs. J. E. Leslie, of Chilliwack, will spend the coming week as the guest of Mrs. C. W. Chesterton.

St. George's Auxiliary Entertains Old Men

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Royal Society of St. George entertained the inmates of the Aged Men's Home with an enjoyable concert, under the convenership of Mrs. D. Ruddock, on Wednesday evening. The entertainment opened with the singing by H. Langley, president of the society, of "Land of Hope and Glory," which he followed with a short address. Mrs. H. Langley gave a piano solo, there were songs by Miss Phyllis Deaville and M. Townie; recitations by Miss Marjorie Landman, A. Semple, W. Hollins; two amusing sketches by Mrs. Semple, R. Colby and Mr. and Mrs. Hollins, and dancing by pupils of Miss Mona Jewell and of Mrs. D. Ruddock. Accompaniments were played by Mme. Townie, Mrs. H. Langley and Miss W. Green. At the close of the entertainment refreshments were served by a committee under the convenership of the president, Mrs. Hallam, and members of the auxiliary, with the co-operation of Mr. and Mrs. Havard, the genial host and hostess of the home.

IRISH WOMAN HAS 110TH BIRTHDAY

BELFAST, Nov. 22.—A telegram of congratulations from King George and Queen Mary today brought a smile of gratification to the face of a little old lady of Ballymascanlon in County Louth.

She is the Honorable Katharine Plunkett, who was celebrating her 110th birthday quietly as has been her wont for many years. For breakfast there was the customary glass of milk, but the dinner table was spread with roast turkey and plum pudding for the guests who came to do her honor.

This remarkable old lady of distinguished lineage is exceedingly popular with her neighbors. She is the daughter of the second Baron Plunkett, Bishop of Tuam, and her mother was the daughter of John W. Foster, the last Speaker of the Irish House.

Cumberland

Rev. and Mrs. F. Comley, who have been visiting at Comox since Monday, the guests of Rev. A. W. and Mrs. Corker, renewed acquaintances in Cumberland on Thursday and Friday, leaving for their home in Victoria later.

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Mr. Amos Lobley, of Nanaimo, formerly a resident here, is renewing acquaintances and enjoying a hunting trip at his old haunts at Lake Cumberland.

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A delightful whist drive was held on Thursday evening by the Royston Baseball Club, in the cosy tearoom at the Winter Garden. Thirteen tables were in progress of play, visitors being noticed from Cumberland, Courtenay and Union Bay. Winners of handsome first prizes were Miss Nora Ford and Mr. H. Waterfield, while consolation prizes went to Miss Dot Walker and Mrs. J. Edwards. Following cards, supper was served. The box of chocolates was won by Pat Murray.

Comox

The Comox Women's Institute and the Farmers' Institute combined on Friday night in staging a successful whist drive in the Native Sons' Hall. When play at the twenty-nine tables had been completed adjournment was made to the supper-room, where refreshments were served. On returning to the hall, the Grantham Community Orchestra, with snappy music, soon induced the company to indulge in dancing. The winners at whist were then announced as follows: Ladies' first prize, Mrs. M. Inglis; second, Mrs. Blowey; third, Mrs. A. R. McLeod; gentlemen's first prize, Mr. Barnes; second, Mr. P. L. Anderton; third, Mr. George Chappell; Mrs. Bunt Woods and Mr. Bergstroom were the winners of the special prizes. Part of the proceeds will go to the Solarium fund.

Sooke

Having visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Murray for a few days, Mrs. A. Bell has returned to her home on Belleville Street.

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Mr. and Mrs. K. Cains have returned home. They have been visiting in Vancouver and Burnaby, where they attended the wedding of Mrs. Cains' brother, Mr. D. Purgavy.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Mugford and daughter were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Mugford during the week.

Women's Institutes of Vancouver Island

SOOKE

The fortnightly card party, under the auspices of the Sooke and North Sooke Women's Institute, was held at the Belvedere Hotel on Wednesday evening. Eight tables were occupied by guests, who engaged in twenty hands of whist. The ladies' first prize was won by Mrs. John MacVicar; the first gentlemen's by Mr. A. C. Helgesen. Consolation prizes were given to Miss E. Ping and Mr. F. Gray. Refreshments were served by the hotel management. Mrs. G. H. Jones and Mrs. F. Gray were the assisting hostesses.

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Neva—And which are you going to do?

Announcement

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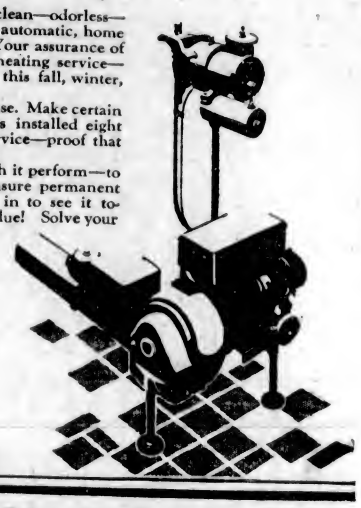

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WILLIE WILLIS
By Robert Quillen

"I know it ain't healthy to eat fast, but what are you goin' to do if you've just started on a piece of bread an' butter an' jelly an' see Skinny comin'?"

LITTLE SISTER
By Ruby Hollend

"Daddy wanted to tell muvver 'bout the story he wrote but she said she'd read it when the editor sent it back to him."

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Other Men's Shoes

By MAY WYNNE

SYNOPSIS

Noel Fexton, a Socialist workman, and Ronald Hartford, Duke of Delcourt, change positions in order to study social problems from each other's point of view. Fexton becomes the Hon. Noel Hartford. Delcourt becomes Robert Fexton.

Each meets with undreamt of embarassments in his new sphere. In Delcourt's case these are more amusing than serious, as when a factory girl, "Tilda Tonskins," proposes to accept him as her "bloke." There is, however, a serious side. As Robert Fexton, he works in a jam factory, and learns to appreciate the brave light-heartedness which can make life enjoyable even in a slum. He also meets Honor Grenvane, the daughter of a dissipated man, who evidently has once been a gentleman. Grenvane is trying to force Honor to marry a man she dislikes.

"The Honorable Noel Hartford" finds that filling a duke's shoes is not the bed of roses he imagined. He is overwhelmed with the business and social burdens attached to the position, and turns for help and advice to Ruth Dryle, the attractive companion to Lady Helvetia Hartford, the duke's aunt. To add to his difficulties, Noel is wrongly accused of flirting with Rosie Blaylock, a farmer's daughter, whose sweetheart, Tom Burr, threatens him. Rosie is carrying on a clandestine love affair with a stranger, and Noel is being made a scapegoat.

CHAPTER VI

"Well," said Lady Helvetia, her eyes twinkling as she looked across the table to where Fexton sat peeling a banana with an abstracted air, "what's the programme, Noel? I may suggest that it seems to me high time we should be setting off to town. We always spend at least six weeks there before Christmas, and I have the bad taste to hunger for Park Lane instead of sylvan solitudes."

Ruth Dryle was not present—being upstairs—virtuously fighting a cold which she had the charity to wish to keep to herself.

Fexton brightened. He had been feeling depressed all day—overburdened by the uncomfortable conviction he was making a mess of things.

The farmers, the tenants, the cottage dependents of the Duke did not want his man-to-man sympathy and friendship. They did not welcome him to a homey chat—nor had they wholesale grievances to pour out. It amazed Fexton to discover the extreme popularity of that happy-go-lucky Duke of Delcourt whom he had secretly criticized and condemned as one of the idle rich. Here, at Delcourt, the Duke was regarded as a friend and father, to be respected—and loved—though Fexton was perfectly certain he could be no more than a name to half of them.

"Their Duke" was a religion to the simple country folk—and if Fexton were welcomed anywhere at all it was owing to the Duke's personality and position—not his own. Of course, it could only be explained in one way. These dwellers in the wilderness were a hundred years behind the times. But they did not seem to need pitying by reason of such a fact.

London—even the spider's web of Park Lane—would be a relief after such dismal failure.

"We could go next week if you wish," he declared. "I—er—did not know the usual thing. Can I help with the arrangements? Who will remain here? I'd be grateful if you could tell me all about it."

Lady Helvetia laughed. She liked this young man—and she had guessed more of the true situation than she found necessary to explain. Only in her heart of hearts, she hoped the comedy—whatever it was—would not be too long. Ronald was thoughtless at times—and needed a little quite plain advice. It annoyed Lady Helvetia—as much as so good-natured a dame could be annoyed—to find her favorite nephew had taken himself off out of the reach of her jurisdiction.

The so-called Noel Hartford—whom she found so obviously one of the people—was neither happy-go-lucky nor easily influenced. He was, however, interesting—and she believed she would like him still better when she had studied him more—for she could study folk, aye, and form a marvelously correct opinion too, this old lady who might have been so easily mistaken for a worldly, over-dressed society dame!

"Of course, I will tell you all about it," she agreed, "but you will have to play your own part too. That is a nuisance, is it not? I know how you feel. But it is not your role, and so I will do all I can. By the by, have you any idea how long Ronald will be away?"

"A year," replied Noel—and his depression returned.

Lady Helvetia was more clever in concealing her feelings. Groaning would not alter things; and, as Ronald was not here to scold, it was no use scolding his proxy! Instead, she told him what to do—and settled he should go to London next day, see the London steward, and arrange for an early arrival. Once in town she would have to speak more frankly to the Hon'ble Noel about etiquette and entertaining.

Ruth's cold was convalescent when Fexton came down from town next evening—but alas! Lady Helvetia was the victim of the fell complaint and remained upstairs.

"We are dining in the morning-room if you don't mind," Ruth said to Fexton, "it is so much cosier—and I believe you are like me and hate a long meal. Shall we dispense with Hedges too?"

Fexton was thankful.

"I shall actually look forward to my evening meal," he said, laughingly. "And—no thanks, I won't spoil it by tea. I want to go round and see Bayles. It is London next week."

He was quite sure London would be play-work after Delcourt. There were still three hours to dinner time, and, though the evening shadows were drawing close, it was not yet dark. He was going with a clear conscience to shelve irksome responsibilities on the capable shoulders of Mr. Bayles. In London he would be free to follow pet theories without being caught up a dozen times a day by tradition!

At the gates of the drive he met a village lad with a note which he was bringing. A message? What for? Fexton did not get many such! The folk seemed perfectly capable of managing without him in any shape or form. He stood frowning over a few scrawled lines.

"Please, sir, would you come as far as Shepherd's oak to speak to me. It's important. I won't detain you. Rosie Blaylock."

The very last person Fexton wanted to meet. What did the girl want? Was it a squabble with her jealous-headed farmer which he was to pacify, or—what?

The lad had run off after giving the note. Perhaps already Fexton was well known as a non-tipper.

Nothing for it but to go! Yet—he hated the job. Other peoples' love affairs were not interesting. And he had none—then he hesitated, finding the color rise to his cheeks as he thought of Ruth. It lay warm and sweet at his heart—that little name Ruth. And what is more it helped send him off to see that other girl whose love affairs this foolish dreamer made sure he could put straight.

He caught sight of the flick of a blue frock as soon as he reached the trysting place, and next moment—there was Rosie, laughing and mischievous.

"I knew you'd come," she cried, "I knew you would. Tom told me he'd warned you off the grass, but I guessed that wasn't enough for you. Have you arranged everything, dear?"

Fexton gasped.

The girl was speaking as though he were her accepted lover. Was he dreaming?

Rosie's two hands rested lightly on his shoulders as she hung back so that he had full view of her roguish, laughing face. There was wicked challenge in the blue eyes, the parted lips invited. Nine men out of ten would have kissed the little temptress and forgiven her any trickery for the sweetness of a stolen embrace. But Fexton was an exception. He was angry rather than fascinated. He had seen someone passing by on the other side of the lane—and felt he had been deliberately put in a wrong position. With a jerk he freed himself, stepping back.

"I do not understand," he said, "you are making a mistake. Did you really wish to see me?"

"Of course, I did," protested Rosie—unabashed—"I wanted to tell you . . . to tell you . . . well, no matter! Maybe I only wanted to see if you'd come. I knew you would. Give my love to Tom. Ta-ta."

(To Be Continued)

Burgess Bedtime Stories

Peter Enlists Help

By THORNTON W. BURGESS

With friends in trouble, needing aid,
There is no time to be afraid.
—Peter Rabbit.

Peter Rabbit was greatly distressed. Over in the Green Forest, Lightfoot the Deer and another Deer of about his own size had fought until at last their antlers became locked; and there they were, head to head, unable to separate. All the Green Forest knew about it. It seemed as if every one had paid that part of the Green Forest a visit. Peter Rabbit had not heard of the fight to see it, but he had heard of the accident, and, of course, he had hurried over there. Peter's heart was filled with pity.

Peter knew that, if only Farmer Brown's Boy would come along, all would be well. Peter has great faith in Farmer Brown's Boy. So he had done his best to try to think of some way of getting Farmer Brown's Boy over there. Finally Peter saw Sammy Jay. Sammy flew over and alighted quite near Peter.

"Do you know where Farmer Brown's Boy is right now?" inquired Peter.

"No," said Sammy, "I don't know where he is right now, but only a little while ago he was over in the Old Orchard picking apples. What do you want to know for?"

"I want to get him to come and help Lightfoot," said he.

"Don't be foolish, Peter," said Sammy. "If those two fellows can't get themselves apart, Farmer Brown's Boy certainly can't get them apart."

"I believe he could," replied Peter. "Anyway, he would try, and that's more than any one else is doing."

"What makes you think he would try?" asked Sammy.

"Did you ever know him to let any of the little people of the Green Forest or the Green Meadows stay in trouble, once he had found them in trouble?" demanded Peter.

Sammy looked thoughtful. "I believe you're right, Peter," said he. "But I don't see what even Farmer Brown's Boy could do for these two fellows. If they cannot pull themselves apart, he certainly cannot pull them apart."

But Peter was not to be discouraged. "He may not be able to pull them apart, but he'll get them apart somehow," he declared. "The thing to do now is to get him over here."

"Do You Know Where Farmer Brown's Boy Is Right Now?" Inquired Peter.

"That ought not to be difficult," replied Sammy. "My cousin, Blacky the Crow, and I can get him almost any time, if he isn't too busy."

"What are you all talking about?" demanded Ol' Mistah Buzzard, as he dropped down on the ground beside Peter.

Peter told him. Then Sammy Jay explained what he proposed to do. "I'll get my cousin, Blacky the Crow," said he, "and some of his flock, and I'll get two or three of my family and we'll all set up a great screaming. Farmer Brown's Boy will know that something has happened and he'll want to find out what it is; and if he isn't too busy, he'll come over to find out."

"Ah reckon that's a good plan, Brer Jay," said Ol' Mistah Buzzard. "Ah reckon Ah can help. Ah'll just sail round and round up in the sky right over those two silly Deer. Farmer Brown's Boy will hear you all, then he'll see me, and Ah reckon he'll hurry right over."

"Goody!" cried Peter. "That's just the very thing. Hurry and do it right away."

So Sammy Jay went to look for Blacky the Crow and pass the word along to members of his own family; and Ol' Mistah Buzzard mounted up in the air and began to sail round and round, and round and round, right where Lightfoot the Deer and the other Deer Lay.

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Outbreaks in Moscow and Leningrad Being Put Down by Public Executioner

LONDON, Nov. 22.—Despite official assertions from Moscow that all is quiet in Russia, the Berlin correspondent of The Daily Express today telegraphed additional reports of disorders which he said had evaded the censorship.

The correspondent said that the alleged mutiny of two Red battalions near Moscow, Wednesday, was confirmed by new dispatches today, and added that two other mutinies had occurred—one at Leningrad and another in the navy at Kronstadt, where officers and crew of the gunboat Vorkov were alleged to have been put in irons.

It was also reported that one, Peters, labeled the notorious executioner of the "ogpu" (secret police) had been given authority to take two batteries of artillery to Moscow and "cleanse the Red army of its disaffected elements."

The correspondent added that M. Kork, commander of the Moscow military district, and M. Tuchachevski, of the Leningrad area, were ordered to relinquish their posts pending an inquiry into the unrest of their commands.

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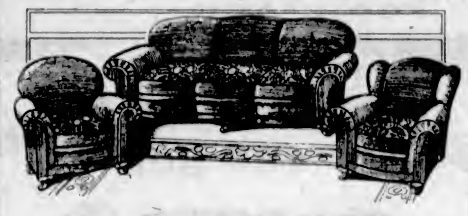

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TOONERVILLE FOLKS

A London Letter

Mr. Bennett Sets an Example—Opening of Parliament—Royal Baby Attracts Attention—Brilliant Review on Canadian History—Italian Play Draws Many.

By ELIZABETH MONTIZAMBERT

LONDON, Oct. 31.—(By Mail.—Canada has reason to be proud of the way she has been represented at the Imperial Conference. Our Prime Minister has set the example of a strict attention to the business in hand, and if, as most people fear, the Dominions representatives are obliged to return to their homes bringing nothing much in the way of definite plans for the future beyond the setting up of some sort of machinery to facilitate further and continuous conversations, at least Mr. Bennett has shown by his immediate grasp of essentials, his pithy brief speeches, his flair for creating the right impression and his insight into the problems of other countries as well as those of Canada, his eminent fitness for the high office which he holds.

As for Miss Bennett, one hears a paean of praise from everyone who meets her, for her tact, her charm, and her life-enhancing way of appearing to enjoy herself thoroughly, as well as for her beauty and her decorative taste in dress. As one appreciative Canadian said to me today, "We have never been so well represented before."

PARLIAMENT OPENS

Of course the great event of the week was the state opening of Parliament. I had the good fortune to be able to see that very splendid pageant from the Throne Room. I looked down from the press gallery on a scene that reminded me of a brilliant and medieval illuminated manuscript come to life.

At the far end the King and Queen, blazing with jewels, standing under the golden canopy of the golden throne surrounded by the heralds and pursuivants, were the central figures. Immediately in front of them were the law lords in rich black and gold robes, and on the right the bench of bishops with immense white ermine capes over their scarlet robes. On the long rows of seats sat the peers, whose scarlet robes had bands of miniver bordered with gold on their right arms, the number marking their rank. In the two centre rows were the peeresses in light colored evening dresses and tiaras for the most part reset as bandeaux.

INDIAN PRINCES

In the Royal Gallery were some magnificent Indian princes, and the Canadian Prime Minister, accompanied by his sister, who had received a special invitation from the Queen. Miss Bennett wore a pale gold dress and a diamond bandeau, the Viscountess Hardinge wore very pale blue, Lady Clarendon wore black with a gold scarf, and Lady Londonderry wore black velvet and her famous tiara and a cascade of diamonds that seemed to flow from her wonderful diamond and pearl necklace. The Queen's three ladies in waiting, the Duchess of Devonshire, Lady Desborough and Lady Victoria Forrester, all wore dresses of pale gold tissue.

"GRAVE CONCERN"

One could not help thinking as the King read his speech in a clear full tone that paused and deepened as he spoke of the "grave concern" with which His Majesty followed the continuance of unemployment among his people; that if he had the power to work his will for the betterment of all classes, unhampered by "constitutional considerations," he would probably be able to achieve much that will never be done where party votes have to be considered.

Heads Delegation on Orient Mission

JOHN M. IMRIE

Managing director of the Edmonton Journal, is head of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce delegation at present touring the Far East.

Coming out into the October sunshine to watch that marvelous procession of the state coach, with its eight horses and postillions and gay trappings, headed by a detachment of "The Blues," and followed by the Yeoman of the Guard, I had a final thrill in hearing an American girl say with conviction: "No country but this could arrange anything so magnificent," and a Frenchman shout with uncontrollable enthusiasm as the state coach passed, "Vive, Vive la Reine."

UNCEREMONIOUS AFFAIR

The visit of the Imperial Conference delegates to the Croydon Airport was a refreshingly unceremonious affair. Mr. Ramsay MacDonald flew over from Chequers and strolled about attired in country tweeds admiring the thirty-seven types of civil and military airplanes and watching the departure of the Imperial Airways craft on their daily trips.

To the uninitiated the chief interest lay in the almost superhuman gyrations of the squadron air drill and squadron "aerobatics" and the curious movements of the Autogiro windmill plane, lifted by its queer curved rotating vanes.

A CANADIAN WEDDING

The wedding of Miss Betty Cambie, daughter of Mr. Charles Cambie, manager of the Bank of Commerce in London, to Mr. Malcolm Ewart Gladstone, gathered together nearly every Canadian in London. The ceremony at the old church of St. Margaret's, Westminster, with its beautifully proportioned arcade, dating from the fifteenth century, was exceptionally arranged.

THE ROYAL BABY

The wives of the Canadian members of the Imperial Conference can find many things of interest besides the theatres just now. There are the street pageants that change daily, the chance of a passing glimpse of the new royal baby, who had her first experience of public life this week, when she had to run the gauntlet of many curious eyes of the crowd gathered round the gate to see her carried out to her daily pageant of the changing of the guard at the palaces, and in a few days' time there will be the Lord Mayor's Show that will include floats representing scenes typical of the different Dominions.

There are also fascinating lectures delivered free to all comers at many of the big museums. A series of English medieval art, given every Thursday from 5:30 to 6 at the Victoria and Albert Museum and lectures on Persian art will prepare the audiences for the better enjoyment of next great exhibition.

BRILLIANT REVIEW

Dr. H. P. Biggar has written a brilliant review of "The Cambridge History of the British Empire," Vol. 6, Canada and Newfoundland. It is written by several authors in collaboration, each taking a different period. Dr. Biggar's wide knowledge of Canadian history, which has earned him a great reputation outside his own country as well as the post of European director of the Canadian archives, makes him particularly fitted to put this volume to the test of his own erudition and his criticism will be read with interest by students of this period as well as serve to point out corrections for future editions.

THE LONDON THEATRE

The Embassy Theatre is maintaining its already high reputation is Goldoni's "The Liar," translated from the Italian by Mrs. Lovat Fraser. It is what I call a "pattern" play, a play that depends for its interest more on atmosphere than plot and which needs attention to rhyhm, diction, setting and color and pace, weaving these things into a pattern that pleases the eye and ear, till no one cares what becomes of any of the amusing personages, least of all the genial young man from whose lips falsehoods fall so trippingly. "The Liar" is the sort of play one is accustomed to see at the Lyric, Hammersmith, and it is cheering to discover another Sir Nigel Playfair in Mr. Whatmore.

The revival of "The Grain of Mustard Seed," by H. M. Harwood, at the Ambassador Theatre, is another instance of the fact that plays that deal with eternal truths do not date. This ten-year-old play about the idealist in politics was left unaltered and shows no sign of wear. The brilliance of the lines was matched by the brilliance of the acting. It was quaint to see Nicholas Hannet acting a nouveau riche with ideals instead of a gentleman without any, but Mr. Bromley Davenport had one of his typical parts in the politician peer who swims with the tide and honestly thinks that is the cleverest and the best thing to do. Mabel Terry Lewis, as the cynical woman of the world and Joyce Kennedy, as the heroine, who shocks the idealist by confessing her past misdeeds, were both admirable. Miss Terry Lewis possesses the sure technique of a really accomplished actress and is always a pleasure to watch.

POLICE VISIT LOURDES

Three hundred and fifty policemen from all parts of the Irish Free State went in a body to the shrine at Lourdes, France, recently. They traveled in civilian clothes, but wore their uniforms while assisting in the religious ceremony at Lourdes.

That Body of Yours

By James W. Barton, M.D.

BEING A GOOD SLEEPER NOT ALWAYS A GOOD SIGN

It was my privilege some years ago to visit an institution for the feeble-minded.

Every opportunity was afforded for a close inspection of the inmates, at play at school and at leisure.

I learned that although there were some inmates who for various reasons were not hearty eaters, every inmate was a good sleeper.

As you know, a great many of these patients suffer from a lack of gland development, particularly the lack of the proper development of the thyroid gland in the neck.

On the other hand, individuals with overdevelopment of the thyroid are very active mentally, and unfortunately are not generally good sleepers.

Now, this doesn't mean that if you are a heavy sleeper your thyroid is deficient, or that if you are a poor sleeper that your thyroid is too active.

A chap who had always been active and alert, up early in the morning ready for work, or play, or a fishing trip, became gradually a little lazy, no desire to get up early even to go fishing, and was often found sleeping during the day.

What was the reason for this sleepiness?

Simply a number of infected teeth that had so poisoned his system that he was tired and sleepy all the time.

And when infection gets to the point that you are tired, heavy and sleepy all the time, it is doing real damage to your system.

The reason a feeble-minded individual sleeps well is because he has nothing on his mind to keep him awake, whereas the normal individual may have cares—worries or other emotional disturbances—that keep his mind too active for sleep.

So, whether you think you sleep too much, or think you do not get enough sleep, it is worth your while to investigate the matter.

Sleep means as much to that body of yours as food. Too much sleep increases weight—wears out the body.

While it is natural to feel a little heavy, a little sleepy after a heavy meal, if you find that you feel sleepy during the day have your family doctor and dentist look you over.

If you can't sleep at night and have no particular reason for wakefulness—business or other worries—then have your doctor look you over and check up the thyroid gland.

In thyroid disturbance there is usually a rapid heart, trembling of the muscles, nervousness, slight bulging of the eyes, and so forth, but in the early stages all these symptoms may not be present.

MAY ISSUE STATEMENT ON WHEAT POOLS TODAY

OTTAWA, Nov. 21.—Some statement may be forthcoming tomorrow from the Premiers of the Prairie Provinces which will clarify the situation with respect to Canada's wheat problems. Premier Bracken, of Manitoba, and Premier Brownlee, of Alberta, were in New York today and are expected to return to Montreal tomorrow, perhaps proceeding from there to Ottawa to spend the week-end here.

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BLACK—Sir George Thomas

WHITE—Grau

The play is the end of the game which follows:

WHITE	BLACK
16. N K 5	16. N (Q 2) B 3
17. N R 5	17. P R 3 !
18. P N 3	18. B x N
19. P x B	19. N x N
20. Q x N	20. N K 6 !

If 21. P x N, Q x B, with a threat of Q K 5, as well as Q x either Pawn, leaves White with a hopeless position, and if K R K 1, 21....., Q Q 4 wins a piece.

21. K R Q 1	21. N x R
22. R x N	22. Q N 3
23. R K B 1	23. Q R Q 1
24. B N 1	24. Q B 3
25. P B 3	25. Q B 4 ch
26. K R 1	26. R Q 7

White resigns, because the most important threat is R K B 7, against which he has no resource.

A finely played game with an elegant finish.

WHITE	BLACK
Grau	Sir G. Thomas
Argentina	British Empire
1. N K B 3	1. N K B 3
2. P Q 4	2. P Q 4
3. P Q B 4	3. P B 3
4. P K 3	4. P K 3
5. N B 3	5. Q N Q 2

An alternative is 5. Q N Q 2, so that if Black plays P x P White can retake with the N, when the two N's work smoothly together, focusing on the point K 5.

6. B Q 3	6. P x P
7. B x B P	7. P Q N 4
8. B Q 3	8. P Q R 3
9. Castles	9. P B 4
10. P Q R 4	10. P N 5

White's 10. move is now considered best. It challenges at once Black's Pawn majority on the Q side, and incidentally makes a bid for control of Q B 4.

11. N K 4	11. B N 2
12. N N 3	12. B Q 3
13. P N 3	13. Castles
14. B N 2	14. P x P
15. P x P	15. N Q 4

The general lines on which Black will manoeuvre are rapid concentration on the point Q B 6; White, by 15. N x P, would facilitate this, as it would allow the Black N to come to Q B 4 and K 5.

These forced marches with Knights are characteristics of Dr. Alechin's play.

The remaining moves are with the diagram at the head of the column.

The game and notes are from "Modern Master Play," by Yates and Winter.

A bright correspondence game follows.

WHITE Klutke	BLACK Koemink
1. N K B 3	1. P Q N 4
2. P Q R 4	2. P N 5
3. P K 3	3. B N 2
4. P Q 4	4. P K 3
5. B Q 3	5. N K B 3
6. Q N Q 2	6. B K 2
7. Q K 2	7. Castles
8. P R 5	8. P Q R 3
9. P K 4	9. P B 4
10. P x P	10. B x B P
11. P K 5	11. N N 5

If 11....., N Q 4; 12. N K 4, B K 2; 13. K N N 5.

12. N K 4	12. Q B 2
13. N x B	13. Q x N
14. P R 3	14. N R 3
15. B K 3	15. Q K 2
16. P N 4	16. P B 3
17. B x N	17. P x B
18. R K N 1	18. P x P
19. N x P	19. P Q 3

19....., Q N 4 !

20. P N 5 !	20. P x P

If 20....., P x N; 21. P x P ch, K R 1; 22. R N 7, R B 2; 23. B x R, Q x R; 24. Q x P ch, K N 1; 25. Castles, N Q 2; 26. R N 1 ch, K B 1; 27. Q Q 6 ch, K K 1; 28. R N 7 wins.

21. B x R P ch	Black resigns

Our next is a From Gambit by a master.

WHITE	BLACK
1. P K B 4	1. P K 4
2. P x P	2. N Q B 3
3. N K B 3	3. P Q 3
4. P x P	4. B x P
5. P Q 4	5. N B 3
5. P K 4 !	
6. B N 5	6. P K R 3
7. B R 4	7. P K N 4
8. B B 2	8. N K 5
9. P K 3	9. P N 5
10. B R 4 ?	10. P x N !
11. B x Q	11. P B 7 ch
12. K K 2	12. B K N 5 ch
13. K Q 3	13. N N 5 ch
14. K x N	14. P K B 4 mate

CHESS NEWS AND NOTES

England — University Matches—Oxford University beat Oxford City by 6½ to 3½, but lost to the University of London by 7 to 5. The strong Lud-Eagle C.C. also won from the Oxford University C.C. by 6 to 4. The Cambridge University C.C. vs. the National Liberal Club resulted at the call of time in a score of 4½ by the National Liberal Club to 2½ for Cambridge, with 3 games for the judge, the positions indicating a close result. Cambridge vs. the United Banks was won by the former. Score, 6 games to 5.

Metropolitan Counties Championship—The first of the hundred-a-side matches for this season was between Middlesex and Kent. The former won all along the line on the first fifty boards; they scored 37½ to 18½; on the full number played they won by 58½ to 41½. Sussex won a fifty-board match with Surrey by 28½ to 18½, with 3 for the judge. Several players of master strength competed, such as R. P. Michell, Miss Menchik and H. C. Griffiths. In a Southern Union Championship match Hampshire beat Dorset by 16 to 6. J. H. Blake was captain of the winners. J. H. Blake is a former British champion.

Scotland—Edinburgh vs. Glasgow—This match of forty players will be played this year at Glasgow on December 5, and the Edinburgh side will be captained by Mrs. Ritchie. At the general meeting of the Edinburgh League the secretary reported a continuance of the post-war enthusiasm, and naturally the finances in a healthy state. The Scottish Association has planned a new competition for the Boys' Championship of Scotland, open to natives of or resident in Scotland and not seventeen years of age on November 30, 1930.

Ireland—Mr. Justice Meredith has just presented the Dublin Chess Club with a standard set of Staunton chessmen, beautifully carved in solid ivory, accompanied with a full size inlaid board.

South Africa — The Transvaal Chess Federation continues to gain ground. Witwatersrand University has affiliated and has entered a team for the second league. There are now five entries in the second league as well as in the first.

Sweden—Isaac Kashdan was first in the I.T. at Stockholm in a field of seven, two being contenders for the world's championship, viz., Bogoljubow and Spielman. Kashdan beat the former, but dropped the only game he lost to Spielman. The New Yorkers' final score was 4½ won to 1½ lost, Bogoljubow, after losing his first two games, won the next four and tied for second and third with G. Stoltz, of Stockholm, who won from both title contenders, but lost to Kashdan; Gideon Stahlberg, Swedish champion, was fourth with 3-3, and Spielman, 2½-3½, fifth; Reilstab, Berlin, 2-4, and E. Lundin, Stockholm, 1-5. After a visit to Berlin Kashdan will go to London to prepare for the I.T. at Hastings December 27 to January 7. Capablanca is also a competitor, a bonny fecht.

United States—Manhattan C.C.—A. Kupchik, former State champion, won the third rapid transit tourney, with Arthur Dake second and Reubin Fine third. D. McMurray fourth. Frank J. Marshall reported that he had visited Dr. Lasker in Berlin, and that the ex-champion declared he had definitely retired from chess.

The B. C. M. says Dr. Lasker's recent visits to London encourage the hope that the former champion is contemplating the publication of a book of his games. No chess work (of any time) could exceed this in interest and value, and only he could edit it adequately.

Marshall C.C.—Arthur Dake won the weekly rapid transit by 6½ won to 1½ lost; the perennial winner, D. Polland, second, 5½-2½; F. Reinfeld, 5-3.

Austria—Rudolf Spielman and Isaac Kashdan began a match of 12 games at Vienna on October 12. As yet no further details have reached America—Boston Monitor.

Czechoslovakia — In a tournament at Liptau of eleven players Salo Flohr, Gombos and Lilienthal divided the first three prizes and H. Steiner and Walther the remaining two.

Holland—The matches to give practice to the younger Dutch players showed the great strength of the experienced masters, for Marocsy beat Weenink by 4 to 0, with 4 draws, and Rubenstein scored 3-0 with Noteboom. Two tourneys at Rotterdam resulted Dr. Tartakower and Noteboom, 2 each; Landou and Takacs, 1 each, and the second, Tartakower, 2½; Takacs, 2; Noteboom, 1; Landau, ½.

Angentina—In the title meet, Boibochan and Maderna tied for first with 13 out of a possible 17; Grau and Villegas, 10 each, and Noguessacuna, 9.

Descendant of Mohammed

HON. Siyed Sadaka Alawe, direct descendant of the "holy prophet," Mohammed, and high priest of all Mohammedans (in black coat), with his secretary, on a visit to his sons of the "real faith" in South Africa. This is the first time in twenty years that the prophet emerged from the Holy Church in Mecca.

WHERE WERE WE, NOW?

The audience held their breath as Jack Braveboy, the hero, killed the last of the Indians.

He staggered about; he almost fainted with loss of blood. Then he gazed about him. Suddenly his voice rang out with hope.

"See!" he cried, "the dawn breaks bright upon yonder topmost heights!"

Still darkness reigned.

"The dawn! The dawn! The down!" he screamed, raging about the stage. "It breaks! The dawn!"

A head popped o'er the mountain top. "'Old 'ard, guv'nor!" said the head, "don't be in such a bloomin' urry, someone's bin an turned the gas off!"

Kitty McKay

By NINA WILCOX PUTNAM

The girl friend says that if looks could kill there would be fatalities at nearly every bridge table.

SOUND AUCTION and CONTRACT

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A Questionable Two Bid by Second Hand Automatically Becomes Reduced to a One Bid by Fourth Hand

North: ♠ K 4 ♥ A J 10 6 5 ♦ Q 10 8 ♣ 9 7 5 3
West: ♠ A Q 8 7 ♥ K ♦ 6 4 2 ♣ J 10 8 6 4
East: ♠ 9 6 ♥ J 9 8 2 ♦ A K 9 7 3 ♣ A K
South: ♠ J 10 5 3 2 ♥ Q 7 4 3 ♦ J 5 ♣ Q 2

Contract Bidding

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
South	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass
West	Pass	1 ♠	3 N.T.	
North	Pass	Pass	Pass	
East	1 ♦	2 N.T.	Pass	

Auction Bidding

	1st Rd.	2nd Rd.	3rd Rd.
South	Pass	Pass	Pass
West	Pass	1 ♠	Pass
North	Pass	Pass	Pass
East	1 ♦	1 N.T.	

In the above deal, where the bidding must be opened by Fourth Hand, there would be a natural urge to force the situation. This would be particularly true if we could switch the major suits for the minor suits. But even if this could be done, there would not be any excuse whatever for Fourth Hand to open the bidding with a bid of two. With such holding Second Hand, it could not be considered a Bridge crime to start the bidding with a bid of two Diamonds in spite of the fact that it is unsound in that there are but six instead of seven probable tricks in the hand.

As the bidding proceeds we run into a subsequent forcing situation where West must make a decision as to what will probably prove the best final decision. Here we get to the point of deciding as to the most likely game-going declaration.

We have as a general precept the fact that a two-suited hand, provided it has normal support for partner, will yield at least two more actual tricks than would be the case if the combined hands were played at No Trump. Yet we must never overlook the fact that in the normal development of a hand we must set our limit as ten tricks. Automatically this brings us back to the principle that we should play a hand at No Trump rather than at a minor suit providing there is no obvious danger involved.

Thus, in the above deal a bid of three Clubs by West on the third round of bidding would confuse the situation and would deny to East the liklihood of game at a No Trump declaration. The character of West's hand is such that it is more important to convey to partner that there is real No Trump support than it is to inform him of the presence of a five-card Club suit.

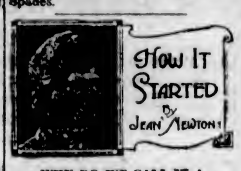
SALIENT POINTS OF THE BIDDING

Contract: South, West and North pass and East opens the bidding with one Diamond. It is true that he has 4 quick tricks in his hand but even under the most favorable conditions (that of Diamonds being suitable to partner) he holds but six probable tricks. He might be condoned for making a bid of two Diamonds Second Hand even though such a bid were unsound, but as Fourth Hand there could be no excuse whatever for such a bid. South passes. West is now confronted with the situation as to what to do in response to a Fourth Hand bid. Normally we bid the longer suit first for a take-out, but in this case, where West has nearly the quick trick value for a defensive bid, he should mention the Spade first. North passes. East now has a chance to make his forcing bid on the second round. Having four Hearts (an unbid suit to the J-9-8) he is perfectly justified in bidding two No Trumps. South passes and West, instead of showing his Club suit, should bid three No Trumps.

Auction: The bidding is the same except that East bids one No Trump over West's one Spade, concluding the bidding.

THE PLAY

Spades having been bid by West, South's preferable opening is his fourth best Heart. This trick North takes with the Ace, returning his fourth best, the five. As far as numbers go, South can read the distribution of the Heart suit, but there is little liklihood of North's holding a sequence in Heart and it appears that the best lead in the Spade. North will now make his King of Spades and his Queen of Diamonds, but the remainder of the tricks will be taken by East and West, for East will discard his losing Heart upon one of West's high Spades.



WHY DO WE CALL IT A "PETREL"

We have all heard of the sea fowl known as the petrel but there are probably very few among us who have ever stopped to think why it is so called and who know the reason for it.

The fact is, surprising as it will be to many of us, that the petrel owes its name to the apostle Peter.

Why this should be so is intriguing, for, at first thought there may not seem to be any connection between the two.

However, the appelation "petrel" is an allusion to the apostle Peter's storied walking on the sea, just as the bird known as the petrel seems to progress over the water.

DUBLIN SOCIETY CHANGES

Society in Dublin, Irish Free State, is "going European," according to observing visitors. Since it has become a capital of a Government the influx of many Government officials and employees has gradually changed the social life. Those who should know say that this season there are more dinner jackets in the city than at any time since the garment was evolved, and social events are more formal than ever before.

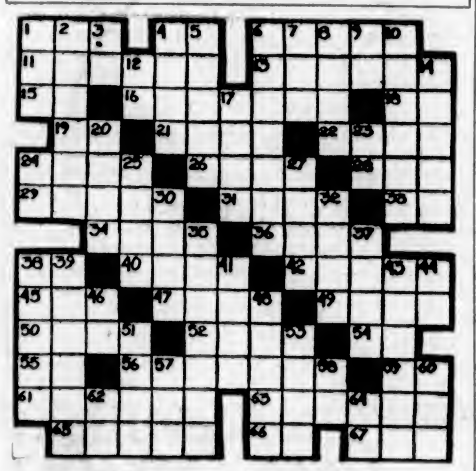
"Now," thundered the teacher on a morning of unusual density on the part of his scholars, "you are all blockheads, but there must be one among you who excels in something, even if only in crass ignorance. Let the biggest dunce in the school stand up."

To the teacher's surprise, one stolid-visaged lad rose to his feet.

"O," said the master, "I am glad to see that one of you has the honesty to admit his ignorance."

"Tain't that, sir," said the boy; "but I 'adn't the 'eart to see you standin' there by yourself!"

The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle

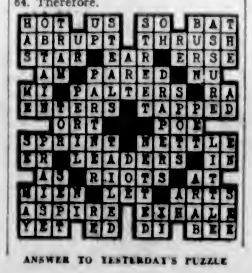


ACROSS

1. Kitchen dish.
4. Toward.
6. Liberates.
11. Eats away.
13. Quieted.
15. Part of "to be."
16. Beginnings.
18. Mother.
19. Within.
21. Close.
22. Ireland.
24. To sense.
26. Girl's name.
28. Consumed.
29. Item of property.
31. To jump.
33. Plural suffix.
34. Caudal appendage.
36. To let fall.
38. Part of "to be."
40. To pull.
42. Farinaceous.
45. A grain.
47. To give out.
49. Woody plant.
50. Legal paper.
52. Heroic poem.
54. Symbol for tantalum.
55. Half an em.
56. Failed to follow suit.
59. Thus.
61. Outcome.
63. Rubber.
65. Judges.
66. Prefix: again.
67. Poem.

DOWN

1. Small vegetable.
2. Military forces.
3. A negative.
4. Sea bird.
5. Willow.
6. Coquetted.
7. To hurry.
8. Otherwise.
9. Spanish article.
10. Descendant of Shem.
12. To perform.
14. Europeans.
17. Old name for France.
20. Home of bird.
23. Sun god.
24. Musical note.
25. To conduct.
27. Damage.
30. To weary.
32. Rhymster.
35. Mourns.
37. To separate.
38. Shady recess.
39. Deserved.
41. To rub.
43. Acented.
44. Old pronoun.
46. Musical note.
48. Large carnivore.
51. Loyal.
53. To seal with wax.
57. A tree.
58. Danish (abbr.).
60. Metalliferous rock.
62. Compass point.
64. Therefore.



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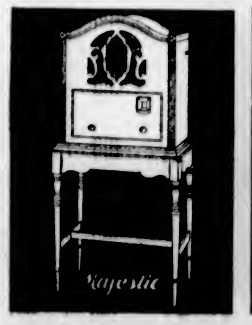

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How Will Chiang's Baptism Influence Chinese Church?

Conversion of China's President Is Compared to That of Constantine—Church Heads Think It Will Give Church Better Status and Check Anti-Religious Regulations

Chinese Leader Been Studying Bible

THAT the most significant event in 1930 may turn out to be neither the revolution in Brazil nor the Nationalist uprising in India, but rather the conversion to Christianity of Chiang Kai-Shek, President of the Chinese Republic, is the opinion of Stanley High as expressed in a recent issue of The Christian Science Monitor. The Christian World of London, of whose editorial board Wickham Steed is a member, also holds that the baptism of General Chiang may prove one of the turning points in the history of the East.

The baptism, which is reckoned as possibly so potential for Christianity in China, took place in the Young Allen Memorial Chapel in Shanghai, the rite being performed by Rev. Z. T. Kuang, the Chinese pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church. Chiang's conversion is traceable, according to the Christian World, to long and patient missionary work. His wife, Miss Mayling Soong, whom he married two years ago, is a granddaughter of the first Chinese ordained pastor of the London Missionary Society, named Nyi, whose daughter married a Methodist convert, a layman named Soong. Of the three daughters of this pair one married Dr. Sun Yat-Sen, the founder of the Chinese Republic, and himself a professed Christian, though latterly coming under the influence of Bolshevik Russia; another married Dr. H. H. Hung, Minister of Commerce and Industry in the present Government, while the third married Chiang Kai-Shek.

CHIANG STUDIED BIBLE

The Chinese president, who has thus been surrounded since his marriage by Christian influence, is reported to have been diligently studying his Bible even during his recent military campaign. Fresh from his recent military triumphs he appeared unexpectedly at the home of his mother-in-law and asked for baptism into the Christian faith. His simple explanation was, "I felt the need of a God such as Jesus Christ."

The probable effect of the president's startling step is variously commented upon by the church papers. His sincerity is not doubted. The Christian Century, which is uncertain as to the benefit to the Chinese church of national entanglement, states that "the Chinese president deserves to have his action taken as the expression of a sincere desire to obtain spiritual guidance and satisfaction." The Christian World ascribes his stand to "a sense of conviction that the way of Christ is the way which his countrymen should follow," and that only "an irresistible urge of an overwhelming conviction would have led him in an hour of political and military triumph to take a step which cannot but offend some of his influential compatriots."

Leaders of British missionary societies are cordial, even jubilant. Kenneth McLennan, secretary of the conference of British Missionary Societies, believes that "it will be a great encouragement to the friends of China in the West," and that "few Christian baptisms required more courage." Rev. Nelson Britton, of the London Missionary Society, and a friend of Chiang's wife's family, sees in it a renewed evidence of the quiet growth of conviction in China. It is a courageous act."

Wide diversity of opinion is shown as to the effect of the president's move. Stanley High, who maintains that Chiang "means business," says that in accepting Christianity, he "aligns himself with the most powerful of his own associates and those whose leadership is likely to prove most significant in the establishment of order in China." The Christian World sees a parallel to the conversion of Constantine in giving Chinese Christians relief from the present difficult situation. The secretary of the China Inland Mission believes that "this definite stand may lead to a great reaction in China against Communism," while the Wesleyan Methodist mission secretary thinks that while the status of the Chinese Church will be raised, the president's act will "undoubtedly stimulate further hostility on the part of the Communist party."

The Christian Century is doubtful whether "this baptism represents an important victory for the cause of Jesus Christ." Past tie-ups of Christianity with Chinese leadership, it maintains, have not been advantageous to real religion, neither in the case of Sun Yat-Sen nor Marshal Feng. There is danger that the Chinese leaders will attempt to capitalize the president's stand for financial purposes among Western nations.

It was their golden wedding, and naturally the family was present; even the minister, who was the specially invited guest and spokesman.

"Well, Pat and Bridget," he said, "I trust even at your eighty years, you are still sweethearts?"

"Yes, sorr," responded Pat heartily. 'Still call her my 'sweet' and begorra she still calls me 'an old humbug.'"

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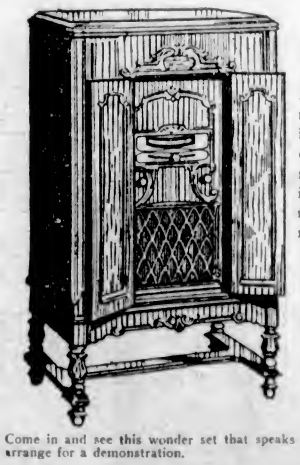

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